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MORGAN TALKS BUSINESS WITH PRESIDENT WILSON

Great Captain of Finance and Nation's Chief Executive Confer for Over an Hour at White House—First of Series of Such Conferences for Discussion of Business Conditions with Men Prominent in Commerce.

Washington, July 2.—For nearly an hour today President Wi discussed business conditions with J. P. Morgan as the first of a series of conferences which will bring to the White House men foremost in American industry and finance. It was one of the very few occasions during the 16 months of his administration that the President has received one of the recognized leaders of "big business."

Officials said that while the administration's greatest legislative projects were under way, the tariff act, the currency bill, and while the trust programme was being perfected, the President felt there should be no opportunity for a charge that they were receiving inspiration from business or financial centers.

Now that two of the administration reforms have been completed and a third is in a final stage, the President is said to feel that an exchange of thoughts and information with captains of industry will be conducive to the business revival he expects to see along lines which the adminstration holds to be legal.

Next week, Henry Ford, Detroit manufacturer, will confer with the President and after that a delegation from the Chicago Association of Commerce, including representatives of six corporations with Nation-wide interest, will come for a conference.

Nothing to Fear.

Out of these exchanges the President expects business to learn that lawful enterprise has nothing to fear from the Democratic administration, that the trust programme having reached a point where he foresees its successful completion, business shall have the rest many of its leaders have been asking; and that under the "constitution of freedom" as the President has christened the trust legislation commerce and finance respecting the laws will not be harrassed by the Federal government.

Whether Mr. Morgan came at his own request or at the invitation of the President was not established. That point often is left in doubt as to important White House conferences. Officials said Mr. Morgan asked for the engagement. Another version was that mutual friends arranged for Mr. Morgan to "talk things over." The two men have been acquainted for some time, and Mr. Morgan knew the President at Princeton and the personal element in the call was a large one.

There was, however, an agreement that the President should not make any announcement concerning the conference. He told inquirers that the talk had been a cordial one, largely reminiscent, and that Mr. Morgan expressed no opinion as to whether business was good or bad. The President added that the attitude of business men seemed to be growing in favor of the administration trust programme. Whether the conference had contributed to that conviction was not disclosed.

White House officials declared the President had no thougnt of altering his legislative programme. Throughout the campaign, as President Wilson styled it, for a halt in the trust bills which he declared was the cause of a "psychological depression" reports came to the White House from the business world that it was believed the President did not wish to discuss his policies with the men vitally interested in them. White House officials say that impression was wholly inaccurate, and that the President's only reason for not consulting business leaders was that while at work upon a definite programme he did not wish to make it appear that it had been influenced.

While the currency bill was in progress he declined to receive some of the men of Mr. Morgan's firm. It was recalled that aside from James Speyer, the banker, the President had discussed public policies with no other big men of the business world. Mr. Speyer came to give the President some information on Latin-American finances. Andrew Carnegie and Jas. J. Hill have been received at the White House, but their visits have been purely personal and of very short duration.

Mr. Morgan ran the gauntlet of a rapid fire of questions from correspondents as he emerged from the White House.

"My visit with the President was very cordial. You will have to ask him what we talked about," was his response to all questions.

Later a persistent questioner pressed Mr. Morgan a little closer: "Mr. Morgan," said he, "has the President sent for you and the other business men of the country, or are the business men coming here to talk to him?"

"Don't you think we ought to?" rejoined Mr. Morgan with a suspicion of emphasis.

Morgan Visited Capitol.

The remainder of the afternoon Mr. Morgan spent observing what freedom a world-figure may enjoy in the capital of his own country. At luncheon, sitting in a hotel cafe alone, Attorney General McReynolds and Secretaary Garrison almost rubbed elbows with him without recognizing him.

He took a trip unaccompanied to the Capitol, strolled through Statuary Hall and went to the Senate gallery.

A door-keeper barred the way to the private gallery used by guests of Senators. Mr. Morgan, hat in hand, tried to pass in.

"Got a ticket to get in here?" demanded the sentry.

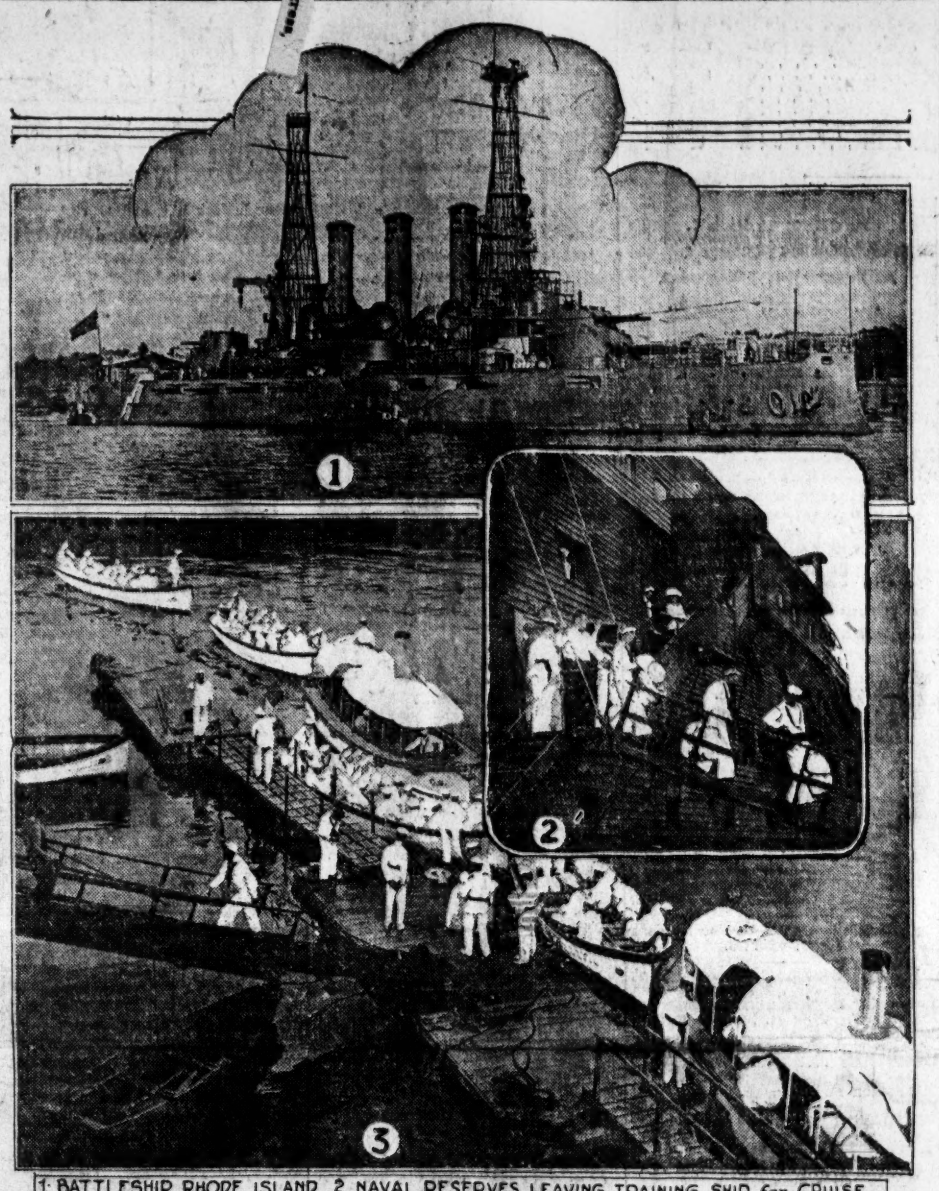
"No, but I am acquainted with Senator Root," ventured Mr. Morgan.

"Can't help that," responded the door-keeper. "Go around to that other gallery where they let anybody in without a ticket."

Senator Cummins was making a speech on the administration's trust commission bill, when Mr. Morgan entered the gallery.

Unrecognized by any one in the galleries or Senators upon the floor, Mr. Morgan listened for nearly an hour. He returned to the railway station, took a chair in one of the public cars and started back to New York.

NAVAL RESERVES OF NORTH CAROLINA WILL CRUISE NEXT WEEK ON THE BATTLESHIP RHODE ISLAND



1 BATTLESHIP RHODE ISLAND 2 NAVAL RESERVES LEAVING TRAINING SHIP For CRUISE 3 READY to BOARD BATTLESHIP PHOTOS © 1914 BY AMERICAN PRESS ASSOCIATION

Washington, July 2.—Plans have been made for the annual cruise of the naval reserves of the Eastern States. They will train this summer on the battleship Rhode Island. The ship will leave Fort Monroe, Va., on July 6th with the reserves of North Carolina and the District of Columbia, taking on the Pennsylvania and New Jersey Second battalion at Lewes, Del. The battleship will then go to Bermuda and thense to Tangier Sound for target practice and service drills. The ship will start on a second cruise on July 23rd, leaving New Haven, Conn., with the reserves of Connecticut, Rhode Island and Maine for Halifax, where gun practice will follow in Gardiner Bay.

BEGIN PROBE INTO GOLD HILL MATTER

Senators Overman and Chilton Give Testimony.

BEFORE SUB-COMMITTEE

Investigation of the Use of Senate Stationery in Promoting Gold Mine in North Carolina to be Thorough One.

Washington, July 2.—Investigation of the use of Senate stationery in the promotion of a gold mine at Gold Hill, N. C., was begun today by a Senate privileges and elections subcommittee with Senators Overman, of North Carolina, and Chilton, of West Virginia, as the principal witnesses.

Senator Overman told the committee that he had bought $2,000 worth of stock in the mine, when a Treasury expert who examined the property told him it was worth $60,000,000. He said that Walter George Newman, who promoted the mine, frequently had visited him at his office. He often allowed his constituents to write letters at his office, Senator Overman said, and declared that the letters in question, which contained a favorable report of the mine by J. C. Williams, a mining engineer, were written on the paper of the Senate Rules committee without his knowledge by Miss Helen B. Moore, a stenographer in his office, at the instance of Newman. Senator Overman said his son-in-law, J. C. Gregory, was employed by Newman as attorney for the mining company.

Senator Chilton said he knew nothing of the use of the Census committee stationery for writing reports regarding the mine. He said, when he found that letters on the committee paper relating to the mine were circulated in New York, he asked Newman if he had used the stationery. Newman admitted that he had.

Predicted Investigation.

"I told him that some muck-raker would find out about it and insist on an investigation," added Senator Chilton.

Senator Chilton said he bought 5,000 shares of stock in the mine at 50 cents a share.

Miss Moore, Senator Overman's stenographer, told of writing the letters for Newman, and Charles West, a negro messenger, said he had given Newman some of the stationery of the Rules committee.

C. H. Martin, clerk to the Rules committee, said he owned $2,000 worth of stock in the mine, but that the purchase was made several months before the Williams letter appeared.

John W. Halsey, clerk to the Census committee, said that at Newman's request he had directed a subordinate to make about 30 copies of the Williams letter on committee paper. He testified he had bought 1,000 shares of Gold Hill stock on margin several months before the letter was written. The stock went down and his margin of about $350 was wiped out, he said.

Newman probably will appear before the committee tomorrow.

ROYAL FUNERAL IS TO BE HELD TODAY

Bodies of Archduke and Wife Reach Vienna.

ABOARD SPECIAL TRAIN

Impressive Ceremony Marks Bearing of Bodies from Train to Palace Where They Laid in State Throughout the Night.

Vienna, July 2.—The bodies of the slain Archduke Francis Ferdinand and his wife, the Duchess of Hohenberg, arrived here tonight on board of a special train from Trieste. Prince Montenuevo, the court chamberlain, and other high officials were in waiting.

Escorted by halberdiers and life guardsmben, the coffins were carried to the imperial waiting room, which had been converted into a temporary chapel where they were blessed by court chaplains. They then were placed in two great black court hearses and the funeral procession started for Hofburg.

Two out-riders, carrying lighted lanterns, led the cortege. They were followed by a guard of cavalry. Then came an official on horse back, known as the Hofeinspanzer, dressed in the picturesque costume of a Spanish cavalier.

The court carriages were next in line. Two out-riders preceded the hearses, each of which was drawn by six black horses.

On either side walked non-commissioned officers and court lackeys. A special guard of 12 halberdiers and 12 mounted life ugaarsmen with drawn swords followed the hearses, and two carriages with the suites of the archduke and duchess completed the cortege.

Military Guard.

No troops were stationed along the route, but the procession made its way between the lines of the moving military guard. At Hofberg the master of ceremonies and the palace clergy awaited the cortege at the foot of the ambassador's staircase, and walked slowly forward to meet it, preceded by the boy choir of the court chapel chanting "Miserere."

The procession then advanced to the chapel with the Austrian and Hungarian life guards and halberdiers walking beside teh coffins, which were attended by four noble pages, dressed in sombre costumes and carrying huge lighted wax tapers. The court chamberlain and other officials brought up the rear. The coffins were placed on an elevated catafalque, entirely covered with gold brocade with swinging canopy.

After a short benediction, the chamberlain of the late archduke handed the keys of the coffin to Prince Montenuevo, the chapel was locked and all departed.

The Hofburg chapel is very small, accommodating not more than 200 persons, and will prove inadequate for services tomorrow. All the seats have been removed and the walls and floor are covered with black cloth.

SIX STICKS OF DYNAMITE CAUSED THE EXPLOSION

Set Off by Jar of Falling Barn Roof, is Theory.

Between 8,000 and 10,000 Throng the Church and Street Where Funeral of Charlotte's Dead Firemen is Held.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Charlotte, N. C., July 2.—Firemen J. R. Erwin and C. F. Todd, who were seriously injured in the explosion here yesterday that killed Chief J. H. Wallace and Captain W. B. Glenn, of the Charlotte fire department, are reported as doing well today at the hospital, and are likely to be out in 8 or 10 days. Fireman R. T. Barnes, who also was badly injured about the eye, went back on duty yesterday afternoon and answered several fire alarms with his company yesterday afternoon and last night. The injury to the eye will not be permanent.

It was six sticks of dynamite in the small storage room near the burning barn that caused the explosion, J. B. Hawkins explained today. He returned to the city last night. He had been using dynamite on a grade, and left six surplus sticks in the small outhouse near the barn under lock and key. His theory is that the dynamite had reached just the right temperature when the fall of the burning barn roof caused jar enough to set off the sticks. He says there were neither caps nor fuses among the sticks.

The funeral of Chief Wallace and Captain Glenn were held together this afternoon at 4 o'clock, at the Second Presbyterian church, being conducted by the pastor, Rev. Dr. A. A. McGeachy. It is estimated between 8,000 and 10,000 people filled the church and the streets in front of and around it, many hundreds also forming a long procession to Elmwood cemetery.

Two automobile fire trucks, one from Station No. 1 and the other from Station No. 2, were used as catafalques.

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WILL FORFEIT RIGHT TO RESPECT OF PEOPLE

Roosevelt Objects to Pending Colombia Treaty.

Declares That If Administration Puts Treaty Through It Will Forfeit Right to Respect of the American People

Oyster Bay, N. Y. July 2.—"If the Wilson administration puts through the treaty with Colombia, providing for the payment of $25,000,000" Theodore Roosevelt declared in a statement tonight, "it will forfeit the right to the respect of the people of the United States."

Colonel Roosevelt's statement was drawn out by that of James T. DuBois, formerly minister to Colombia, who assailed the acts of the Roosevelt administration in connection with the Panama revolution. The former President barely referred to the DuBois statement, however, and plugged into a denuncation of the treaty before the Senate.

"I have nothing to say about Mr DuBois," the Colonel said. "He merely was an instrument. Mr. Wilson is responsible for the payment of the blackmail to Colombia, Whether he did it on his own initiative or at the instigation of Mr. Bryan is wholly unimportant and it is of infinitely less importance what particular subordinate was chosen to carry through the discreditable transaction or to apologize for it in the public press.

"Neither Mr. Wilson, nor Mr. Bryan can answer my statement. The payment(, if made, will be a naked payment of belated blackmail and the mere proposal to make it is an outrage on the honor and a heavy blow to the interests of the American people.

"There is small wonder that many hundreds of Americans in Mexico have been endeavoring to become British, German or French subjects to get some protection from some government.

"An administration that will con-

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MEXICAN MATTERS NEAR SETTLEMENT

Final Act Left to Warring Mexican Factions

LEAVE NIAGARA FALLS

Mediators and Representatives of Huerta and the American Government Leave Scene of Conference.

Niagara Falls, Ont., July 2.—With the departure tonight of Ambassador Dagama, of Brazil; Minister Naon, of Argentina, and the American delegation, the Pan-American mediation conference convened to find a solution of the Mexican problem formally ended its sessions here.

Minister Suarez, of Chile, and the Huerta delegates, will leave tomorrow. When and where the next meeting will be held depends on Gen. Carranza, who is consulting with his subordinate Constitutionalist chiefs about sending delegates to a conference with the Huerta delegates to select a new provisional president. The Huerta delegates expect to remain in New York until definite word is heard from the Constitutionalists.

In the meantime mediation has been declared in indefinite recess. Formal notification of the invitation to Carranza to send delegates and his reply were conveyed by the mediators to the American and Huerta commissioners in an additional note today. It sets forth that there is no further need of sessions until the Constitutionalist delegations are appointed. The note declares the international conflict settled and remarks:

"All that is left to be done is to establish and organize a provisional government in Mexico, a patriotic work reserved exclusively to the two Mexican delegations."

The Huerta delegates replied to this communication in separate notes, one expressing appreciation of the efforts of the three mediators in bringing about a settlement of the international conflict; the other addressed indirectly to the Constitutionalists, de-

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MURDER MYSTERY STILL UNSOLVED

Detectives Search for Thirty-Eight Calibre Revolver.

HOLD INQUEST TODAY

Mrs. Carman Views Body of Dead Society Matron and Declares She Never Saw Her Before—Patients Tell Another Story.

Freeport, N. Y., July 2.—While Mrs. Edwin Carman was in Hempstead today, viewing the Long Island matron killed by a shot fired through a window in Dr. Carman's office here Tuesday night, detectives were pumping out a cess pool and a well in the rear of the physician's residence and a cess pool in the cellar.

The detectives declared they expected to find a .38 calibre revolver containing one exploded shell. Late tonight the hunt for the weapon was still in progress, but the detective thought their search would be rewarded before morning.

The body of the murdered woman was taken from her home in Hempstead to an undertaker's morgue for an autopsy which had been ordered by the district attorney.

William D. Bailey at first refused to allow his wife's body to be moved from the house, but after the authorities had threatened to go to a Supreme Court Justice and get an order permitting the autpsy, he gave his consent.

Mrs. Carman Views Body.

Mrs. Carman and her attorney were waiting at the morgue. Mrs. Carman was taken into a rear room and asked to look at the dead woman's features.

"Poor woman!" exclaimed the physician's wife, "I am so sorry for her."

"Have you ever seen this woman before?" her attorney asked.

Mrs. Carman replied: "No; I have never seen that woman in my whole life."

Detectives late today interviewed Miss Helen Combs, a lawyer's stenographer, who told them she was in the physician's house at the time of the shooting, having gone there for treatment. She said she was admitted to

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BIG RAILROAD MAN COMMITS SUICIDE

Guy Phillips of Missouri Pacific Shoots Himself

FOUND DEAD IN OFFICE

His Physician Declares That He Was a Recent Sufferer from Despondency—Was Director in Many Firms.

New York, July 2.—Guy Phillips, assistant secretary of the Missouri Pacific Railway Company, killed himself in the offices of the company on the eighth floor of a big Broadway office building late tonight. His physician said he had been a sufferer recently from despondency.

Mr. Phillips, who was an officer or director of numerous corporations beside the Missouri Pacific, was seen early tonight sitting at his desk in the record room of the Missouri Pacific offices. An hour later a watchman who had noted his presence saw Mr. Phillips was lying across the desk. Investigation showed he was dead from a bullet wound in the temple. A revolver was lying under the chair. On a table by a note asking that his wife in Darien, Conn., be notified. It also requested that notification be given A. H. Calef, secretary and treasurer of the Missouri Pacific at Seabright, N. J., and Dr. Henry Moffat, Mr. Phillips' physician, in Yonkers.

Dr. Moffat said Mr. Phillips had been a patient of his for many years and that during recent months he had suffered from depressive tendencies. The physician had feared for some time that he would have a nervous breakdown.

Mr. Phillips was slightly past 60 years of age and had been for more than a quarter of a century associated with the Missouri Pacific. He was assistant secretary of the St. Louis, Iron Mountain & Southern Railway Company; secretary of the Iron Mountain Car Trust; secretary-treasurer and director of the Richmond & Chasapeake Bay Railway Company, assistant secretary and assistant secretary-treasurer and director of the Virginia Railway & Power Company, and a director of the Richmond & Chesapeake Bay Railway Company and the Three States Realty Company.

SURGEON GENERAL BLUE TAKES CHARGE OF FIGHT

Heroic Efforts to Rid New Orleans of Rats

All Vessels Leaving Port to be Fumigated, Which Will Allow Them to Enter Other Ports—No New Cases Reported.

New Orleans, July 2.—Surgeon General Rupert Blue, of the United States Public Health and Marine Hospital Service, today took charge of the bubonic plague situation in New Orleans. While no new cases developed today, Surgeon General Blue declared at a meeting of business and health officials that some time would be required to eradicate the contagion. He said a thorough rat survey of the city must be made in order to determine the extent of infection and to guard against an outbreak of the disease in a new zone.

All vessels leaving here will be thoroughly inspected, fumigated and cleared of rats. After this inspection by government agents, it was announced, shipments will be admitted to all ports which otherwise would enforce a rigid quarantine. It was explained that ships given pratique under usual rules of maritime procedure would not be subjected to further inspection even at ports that quarantined against New Orleans. Vessels arriving here from infected ports are admitted without inspection when they show proper certificates from health authorities.

Health officers from Alabama, Texas and many nearby coast cities approved plans adopted at the conference with Surgeon General Blue and probably a corps of expert rat catchers also will be brought from San Francisco. The source of infection has been traced to neas, carried by rats in a lodging house where the two bubonic patients contracted the disease. With the destruction of all rats in the infected district, it is believed by the health authaorities that all danger of further spread will be removed.

RECEIVERS APPOINTED FOR WESTERN RAILROAD

Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Defunct.

Judson Harmon and Judge Rufus B. Smith Appointed Receivers for Road—Devastation Due to Floods Cause of Trouble

Cincinnati, July 2.—Judson Harmon, former attorney general of the United States, and Judge Rufus B. Smith, of this city, were today appointed receivers for the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton railroad, application for which was filed in the United States district court earlier in the day on behalf of the Bankers Trust Company, of New York. The bonds of each of the receivers were placed at $50,000.

The petition asking for the receivers declared that the entire bonded indebtendness of the railroad is $75,000,000 and charged that the railroad has defaulted on the interest of $29,190,000 first mortgage and refunding 50 year gold bonds; on $3,162,000 bonds of the Cincinnati, Indiana & Western railroad.

The petition of the Bankers Trust Company seeks the forceclosure of a mortgage which is estimated at $36,000,000.

The Bankers Trust Company in addition to asking for a receiver, asks that officials and employees of the railroad company be enjoined from interfering with, transferring or disposing of any of the property of the company.

The devastation due to the floods of 1913 and the ensuing pressure of the road is given as the reason why the company "has been unable to meet" its obligations.

JULY 4th at LUMINA

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ATHLETICS DROP TWO TO RED SOX, WHILE TIGERS DOWN NAPS.

:: SPORTS ::

DODGERS DOWNED GIAITS—CUBS DEFEATED REDS.

STANDING OF THE MAJOR LEAGUE CLUBS

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	39	28	.582
Detroit	40	31	.563
Washington	36	31	.537
Boston	37	32	.536
St. Louis	37	32	.536
Chicago	34	33	.507
New York	29	40	.383
Cleveland	24	43	.358

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	37	24	.607
Chicago	37	31	.544
St. Louis	35	34	.507
Cincinnati	33	34	.493
Philadelphia	30	31	.492
Pittsburgh	30	32	.484
Brooklyn	28	33	.459
Boston	20	37	.412

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Indianapolis	30	20	.681
Chicago	27	20	.5878
Baltimore	33	28	.541
Buffalo	31	27	.534
Kansas City	32	30	.471
Brooklyn	27	32	.458
Pittsburgh	20	33	.441
St. Louis	27	41	.397

RESULTS YESTERDAY

At Philadelphia 6; Boston 7.
2nd: Philadelphia 1; Boston 7.
At Detroit 4; Cleveland 0.
At Washington 1; New York 6.

At New York 2; Brooklyn 7.
At Chicago 5; Cincinnati 3.
At Boston-Philadelphia, rain.

At Kansas City 9; St. Louis 1.
At Indianapolis 2; Chicago 8.
At Pittsburg 4; Baltimore 3.
At Brooklyn 1; Buffalo 0.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

St. Louis at Chicago.
Cleveland at Detroit.
Boston at Washington.
New York at Philadelphia.

Brooklyn at Boston.
Philadelphia at New York.
Chicago at Pittsburg.
Cincinnati at St. Louis.

No games scheduled.

AMERICAN

RED SOX HANDED ATHLETICS A DOUBLE LEMON.

Took Both Ends of Yesterday's Double Bill from Leaders.

Philadelphia, July 2.—Both games of today's double header were won by Boston from Philadelphia 7 to 6 and 7 to 1. A ninth inning rally gave the visitors the first game. In the eighth inning of the second game, Boston knocked the home twirler off the rubber and piled up four runs on four hits, a sacrifice fly, a stolen base and a wild pitch.

Boston .....300 000 004—7 10 1
Philadelphia ....000 300 102—6 13 3
Bedient, R. Collins, Leonard and Carrigan; Shawkey, Brown and Schang.

Second game:
Boston .....010 001 041—7 11 1
Philadelphia ....000 000 100—1 3 1
Coumbe and Carrigan; Pennock, Bressler and Schang.

TIGERS SHUT OUT NAPS IN OPENING GAME.

Dauss Scored His First Victory Over Cleveland Since 1912.

Detroit, July 2.—Detroit shut out Cleveland in the opening game of the series today 4 to 0. Each of the Tigers' runs was batted in with a safe hit. It was Dauss' first victory over Cleveland since 1912.

Cleveland .....000 000 000—0 9 2
Detroit .....100 011 10x—4 10 0
Bowman, Morton and O'Neil; Dauss and McKee.

CHANGE IN BATTING ORDER AIDED CHANCE'S YANKEES.

Won Final Game from Senators by Six to One Tally.

Washington, July 2.—New York won the final game of the series with Washington today 6 to 1, after Manager Chance had shaken up his batting order. An unusual double play occurred in the sixth inning. With men on first and second, Morgan muffed Daley's fly, but recovered the ball in time to force Peckinpaugh at second. Mc Bride then threw to Foster, doubling Hartzell at third.

New York .....001 010 301—6 12 0
Washington ....010 000 000—1 6 1
Caldwell and Nunemaker; Bentley, Harper and Henry and Williams.

RICHMOND CAPITALISTS AND LEAGUERS CANNOT AGREE

Richmond, Va., July 2.—Failure of the Virginia League and local capitalists to reach an agreement this afternoon apparently has blocked all efforts of the latter to secure for Richmond the Baltimore franchise in the International Baseball League. An offer of $2,500 for the Richmond franchise in the Virginia League with the assumption of $700 indebtedness of the old Lynchburg Club, the franchise to be turned over to the League for placement in Lynchburg, was refused. The league magnets are standing out for $15,000 cash and the assumption of the Lynchburg indebtedness. These terms the Richmond promoters declined to meet and negotiations were called off.

NATIONAL

ROBERTSON AGAIN STARRED IN A BROOKLYN VICTORY.

Evened Series With Giants by Winning Seven to Two.

New York, July 2.—Brooklyn today evened the series with New York by winning 7to 2. Pfeffer pitched his second victory of the season over the champions. Pfeffer also batted in both of Brooklyn's early runs when the game was close. A sensational one-handed catch by Robertson off O'Meara was the fielding feature.

Brooklyn .....010 000 141—7 12 1
New York .....000 000 011—2 7 4
Pfeffer and McCarty; Marquard, Wiltse and Meyers and McLean.

CUBS MAKE CLEAN SWEEP OF SERIES WITH REDS.

Strengthened Their Hold on Second Place by 5 to 3 Victory.

Chicago, July 2.—Chicago strengthened its hold on second place today, defeating Cincinnati 5 to 3 and making a clean sweep of the series. Bresnahan walked, stole second and scored the winning run on Leach's double in the locals' half of the fifth inning. Saer added another run in the eighth by making his second home run.

Cincinnati .....000 030 000—3 5 1
Chicago .....003 010 01x—5 6 1
Douglass and Clark; Pierce and Bresnahan.

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

North Carolina League.
At Durham 3; Raleigh 1.
2nd: Durham 1; Raleigh 0.
At Greensboro 2; Winston-Salem 2; (5 innings, rain.)
At Asheville 7; Charlotte 8.

Virgina League.
At Newport News 2; Roanoke 3.
At Portsmouth 0; Norfolk 5.
At Richmond 8; Petersburg 3.

Southern League.
At Memphis 2; Montgomery 5.
At Atlanta-New Orleans, rain.
At Chattanooga 4; Mobile 1.
At Birmingham 6; Nashville 4.

South Atlantic League.
At Jacksonville 14; Augusta 6.
At Savannah 2; Albany 3.

International League.
At Montreal-Buffalo, rain.
At Toronto 6; Rochester 5.
At Newark-Providence, rain.
At Jersey City 0; Baltimore 3; (12 innings.)

American Association.
At Cleveland 3; Indianapolis 9.
At Milwaukee 3; Minneapolis 5.
At Louisville 7; Columbus 0.

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4TH JULY CANVAS OXFORDS
And Pumps at Peterson & Rulfs. —Advertisement. 2t.

FEDERAL

LONE TALLY IN FOURTH WON FOR BROOKLYNS.

Heavy Rain Storm Ended Game With Buffalo In Sixth.

Brooklyn, July 2.—A lone run in the fourth inning was enough to give Brooklyn the victory over Buffalo today 1 to 0. A heavy rain storm broke while Buffalo was at bat in the sixth and at the end of the inning the game was called.

Buffalo .....000 000—0 5 0
Brooklyn .....000 10x—1 3 2
Krapp and Blair; Seaton and Land.

TINKER'S CHI-FEDS TAKE FIRST PLACE.

Defeated Indianapolis League Leaders Seven to Two.

Indianapolis, July 2.—Chicago went into first place in the Federal League race today by winning from Indianapolic 7 to 2. Tinker's team is leading by one-half a game.

Chicago .....003 000 103—7 8 0
Indianapolis ....010 100 000—2 7 2
He d Wilson; Falkenberg, Henderson and Rariden.

PITTSBURG CELEBRATED RETURN WITH VICTORY.

Camnitz Twirled Good Game and Scored Winning Run.

Pittsburg, July 2.—The Pittsburg Federals celebrated their return home today g Baltimore 4 to 3 in ten innings. Camnitz, who pitched for the locals, scored the winning run on Manager Oake's single.

Baltimore .....001 000 2000—3 7 2
Pittsburg .....000 012 0001—4 10 1
Quinn, Conley and Russell; Camnitz and Berry.

KANSAS CITY FOUND ST. LOUIS EASY.

Collected Sixteen Hits to Opposition's Seven Scattered.

Kansas City, Mo., July 2.—Packard today held St. Louis to seven scattered hits while the locals collected 16 and easily won 5 to 1.

St. Louis .....000 000 100—1 7 1
Kansas City ....100 121 04x—9 16 2
Davenport, Herbert and Chapman; Packard and Easterly.

BRITISH CREWS ELIMINATED: HARVARD EIGHT FAVORITES

Henley-On Thames, Eng., July 2.—The grand challenge cup, the "blue ribbon" event of English rowing, will go abroad this year for the fifth time in nine years, probably to America, after which it must be returned to the Stewards of the Henley regatta to be completed for again.

In the first series of heats for the grand challenge cup today the English crews were eliminated. The Harvard second eight disposed of Leander; the Union Club eight, of Boston, defeated the London Rowing Club; Winnipeg had an easy victory over the Thames Rowing Club and the German crew, of Mayence, won from Jesus college, Cambridge, in the fastest time of the race.

The four visiting crews will compete tomorrow in the second series and the winners will row the finals Saturday. Harvard will row Winnipeg nad the Boston and Mayence eights will compete.

From the form shown today, the Harvard men are favorites.

WILL PLAY CHADBOURN

Champions of Independent League Seeking New Fields to Conquer

After downing all comers in the Independent League, of this city, the Stags will go to Chadbourn tomorrow afternoon and will seek to conquer the doughty Columbus boys. Victory is perched high on their banner and the aggregation is confident that they will take the scalps of the Chadbourn outfit. The latter have played consistent steady ball throughout the season and will not take a licking without putting up a game fight.

The Wilmington team will likely be accompanied by a number of their friends as tomorrow is a legal holliday and will be observed quite generally in Wilmington.

GAME AT SUNSET TOMORROW MORNING.

There is no regular game scheduled for tomorrow in the City League, however, arrangements have been made for a bang-up game on the Sunset Park diamond at 10:30 Saturday morning, between two picked teams from the City League.

It is believed by the promoters of this game that they have assembled the two strongest teams that have ever played baseball in Wilmington, and that one of the classiest games ever seen by amateurs in the city will be the result when they clash tomorrow morning. Among the players will be such amateur talent as Davis, Huhn, Bethea, Hines, Shepard, Walsack, Jones, Holt and Long, while the other team will be hard to beat, and claim they have the edge on this strong aggregation. The game is staged for 10:30 o'clock, so that those arriving in the city on the morning trains will have ample time to get to the park in time to witness the game.

How They Stand

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Chattanooga	43	32	.573
Mobile	43	34	.558
Birmingham	41	33	.554
New Orleans	40	35	.543
Atlanta	38	34	.528
Nashville	38	38	.500
Memphis	32	43	.427
Montgomery	27	51	.346

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Charleston	8	4	.667
Albany	8	5	.615
Columbus	7	5	.583
Columbia	6	6	.500
Augusta	6	7	.462
Savannah	6	7	.462
Macon	5	7	.417
Jacksonville	4	9	.308

VIRGINIA LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Norfolk	44	21	.677
Richmond	38	24	.613
Newport News	38	28	.576
Roanoke	32	35	.478
Petersburg	22	40	.355
Portsmouth	21	47	.309

NORTH CAROLINA LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Charlotte	36	24	.600
Durham	35	24	.593
Winston-Salem	31	25	.554
Raleigh	27	31	.466
Asheville	24	36	.400
Greensboro	21	35	.375

WALKER VICK QUITS?

So Reported in Washington—Chaotic Conditions Responsible.

New York, July 1.—A Washington dispatch to the Tribune says:

Walker W. Vick, collector of customs of San Domingo under the treaty which provides for American supervision of Dominican customs, has submitted his resignation to the government here, but it has not yet been accepted.

The general situation in Santo Domingo is chaotic, and it is considered probable here that Mr. Vick's desire to leave his place is largely inspired by the unsatisfactory conditions under which he has to work.

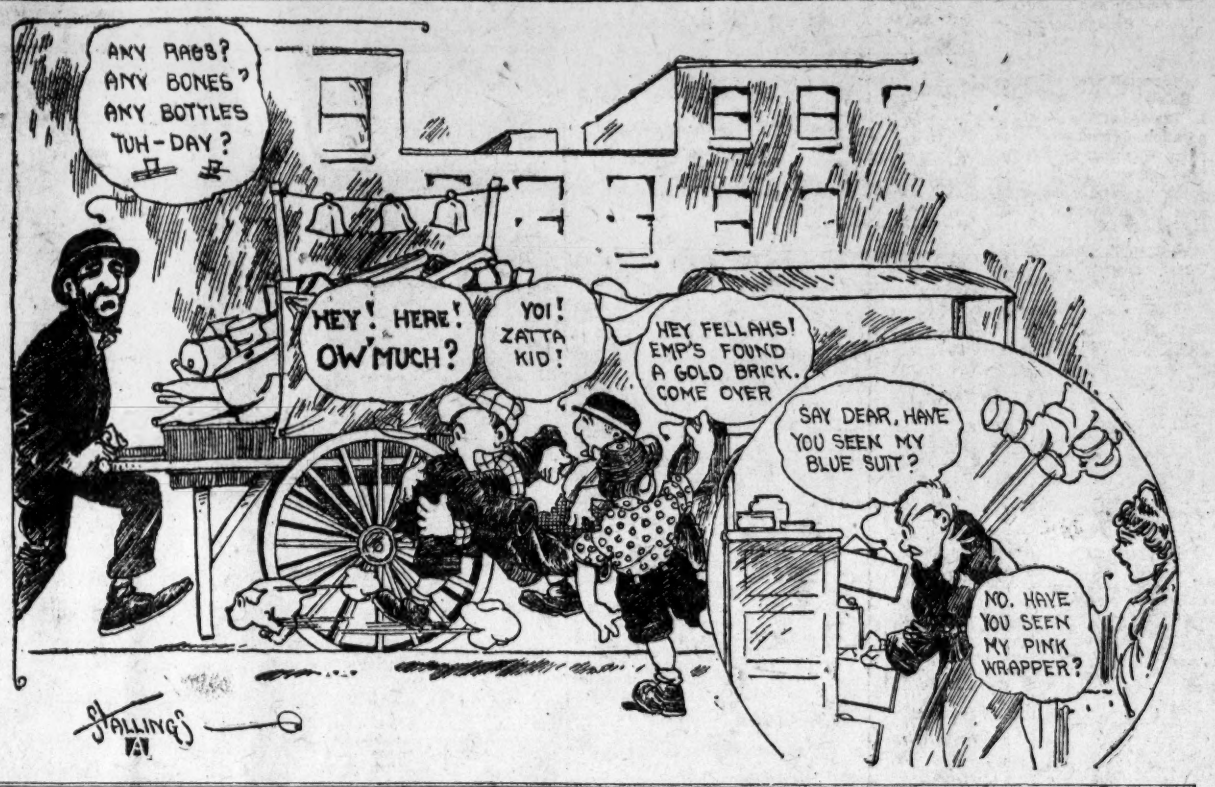
Not only is the Dominican government in bad shape, engaged now in a revolution of serious character, but according to Washington rumor, there has been friction between the American legation and the collector of customs.

James M. Sullivan is the American minister in Santo Domingo city. He has interfered on several occasions in the internal affairs of Santo Domingo, possibly under instructions from the State Department, and has been subjected to some criticisms for his activities.

It is apparent that the relations between the United States and Santo Domingo are becoming strained. This government is angered over the continued revolution, and is believed to be preparing to issue an ultimatum to the Dominicans that the revolution must come to an end. The Secretary of State had a long conference with the Dominican charge d'affaires today.

IN BOYVILLE

Dad's Always the Goat — *By Stallings*


ANY RAGS? ANY BONES? ANY BOTTLES TUH-DAY?
HEY! HERE! OW'MUCH?
YOI! ZATTA KID!
HEY FELLAHS! EMP'S FOUND A GOLD BRICK. COME OVER
SAY DEAR, HAVE YOU SEEN MY BLUE SUIT?
NO. HAVE YOU SEEN MY PINK WRAPPER?
STALLINGS

THEATRICAL

Although the day was decidedly dismal folks flocked to the Grand, where, besides encountering solid comfort, bright cheer that made them forget the weather, and likewise their troubles, they witnessed the big production of "The Port of Missing Men," with Arnold Daly in the stellar role.

Today Grand goers will have another big chance of seeing a great show, and the price of admission drops back today to 5 cents, afternoon and night. There will be a great galaxy of film surprises and sensational flashed on the big Grand screen and Miss Freaman, the brilliant Wurlitzer orchestra player, will also be seen and heard, thus adding joy and novelty to each performance.

A star film, with a star cast, heads today's big offering. It is the latest two-part Kalem, "A Man's Soul", in which a man goes to the dogs through drink and his wife is forced to leave him, but he finally repents and redeems himself. Two thrilling incidents is a raid on a gambling joint and a spectacular prairie fire. The noted actor, J. P. McGowan, will be seen as the husband and clever Helen Holmes as the wife.

The Vitagraph concern also has a star film on today in "Buddy's First Call," starting when the subject of the big film puts on his first pair of long pants. It is a rouser for chuckles and Paul Kelly will be seen as "Buddy."

Selig also contributes largely to today's great show, in offering the fascinating detective story, "A Pair of Stockings." It's a novelty in the way of mystery.

At the Bijou.

Today at the popular photoplay house will be displayed for the first time in Wilmington, that sensational two-reel motion picture, which has caused a sensation in the larger cities, "A Law Unto Himself." This is one of the greatest two-reel drama photoplays of the year, and abounds in some of the most thrilling action ever photographed for the movies. It tells a big story, one that is brand new, and has made a distinct hit wherever it has been shown in the bigger cities. Wilmington gets this picture right out of the big cities, owing to the enterprise of the Bijou management, as it is scarcely a week old even now. "A Law Unto Himself" will appeal to everyone who witnesses it as one of the really big pictures of the year, and even after the distinct hit produced at the Bijou with "Through Dante's Flames" yesterday, this picture will not seem little in comparison.

Another notable offering on today's bill is another one of those famous Sterling comedies, "Billy's Riot" in which that famous Sterling tot, "Little Billy" is featured in the leading role of one of the best comedies ever released under this brand. You will remember the last one of these famous comedies some weeks ago, and will surely want to follow up Little Billy in this one.

"When Villains Meet", is another one of those big Keystone comedies that completes today's big offering, the price being cut again to the standard small sum of five cents, afternoon and night.

JULY 4th at LUMINA
Why not spend the day at the South's most famous Pavilion? Music, Dancing, surf bathing, athletic contests, exhibition dancing, moving pictures. —Advertisement.

4TH JULY CANVAS OXFORDS
And Pumps at Peterson & Rulfs. —Advertisement. 2t.

J. J. Callahan

40 years old and still able to sting the ball. Manager of the Chicago White Sox. In his prime he was one of the most famous pitchers. Managed one of the teams which has just completed a trip around the world. He is the idol of the Chicago fans and is considered a Chicago "boy" although born in Fitchburg, Mass. The first ball used in the game recently played before King George V. was tossed by the King to James Callahan.

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JACK GRANEY

Red McGhee says:

John Gladstone Graney!—Some name, mates. The prex of our United States could well be proud of such. But jack ain't strong on politics. The diamond's where he pulls his tricks with Spalding's one-stick crutch. The printers score his highbrow name in settin' box scores of the game an' cut the front away. But that don't bother J. G. G.—Nit! Never! He's no readin' goe. He jus' was born to play.

Outfieldin' for the luckless Naps, he turns in two an' three-base taps as reg'lar as the clock. An' it ain't any fault of his if they can't work the follow biz to add runs to their stock. I like to watch him on defense. His fielding strike is sure immense—it's worth your o' six bits. His legs are fat an' look like bows an' like a kangaroo he goes out cuttin' down base-hits.

Jack used to pitch some years ago. His ol' south wing's still there to show he must have had some speed. They don't stretch hits that go to Jack. They's hardly out there when they're back. "Don't hold em!"—that's Jack's creed. An' he ain't no slow-goin' skate at nailin' runners at the plate—for all-'round stuff he's brainy. A brilliant comet?—Star?—Well, no. The game would be the loser, though, without J. Gladstone Graney.

A SANE FOURTH AT CAROLINA BEACH

Music All Day for Dancing — Safe Surf Bathing

Pack Your Basket and Take the Family for a Real Holiday at the Safest Beach on the Coast

The Steamer Wilmington will make three round trips, leaving foot of Princess street 9:00 A. M., 2:30 and 7:30 P. M. Last boat leaves the Beach at 10:00 P. M.

ANOTHER HITCH IN INTER-STATE RATES

B. & O. and N. & W. Change Some of Their Rules.

Chairman Travis Arranges for Conference Between Corporation Commission and Railroad Officials — Broughton May Return

(Special Star Correspondence)

Raleigh, N. C., July 2.—Chairman E. L. Travis, of the North Carolina corporation Commission, has returned from Washington where he went to take up with the railroad companies doing interstate North Carolina business the matter of a number of discrepancies in the published new interstate freight rates from the West and Pittsburg zone that went into effect June 20, there being two or three differences between the published rates and the original compromise agreement between the State authorities and the railroad companies

He arranged for all these matters to be gone into at a conference with the railroad officials and the commission in Asheville July 6, the day before the North Carolina special intrastate rate commission resumes conferences there to round up its work in passing on the Justice act intrastate rates.

Chairman Travis says that one of the most serious matters to be thrashed out will be with the officials of the Baltimore. & Ohio and the Norfolk & Western, which have changed their rules as to the "milling in transit" rates in such a way as to deprive North Carolina shippers of their advantages in these grain and grain products rates as compared with the Virginia cities. The other inter-state carriers assert that they had no knowledge of the action of the B. & O. and N. & W., which are not to any extent North Carolina carriers and this adjustment will be exclusively with these two roads, Chairman Travis being confident that the matter will be satisfactorily adjusted. If there is not some adjustment, the new condition will interfere considerably with the full enjoyment of the benefits of the compromise rates by North Carolina shipments as to grain and grain products. The action of the two roads is accounted for by the fact that the B. & O. and the N. & W. are especially interested in Virginia cities and not North Carolina shipping, and their desire is to favor as far as possible their big Virginia clients.

Manly Tyree Signally Honored

Returning across country in automobile, Mr. W. M. Tyree, North Carolina's best known photographic artist, brough with him tokens from the National Photographers' Association that are of especial interest and credit to the whole State. Mr. Tyree was president of the National Association for the past year, being the first southern man to be elevated to this high office among the artists of the country. The association presented him with a very artistic and handsome gold watch inscribed "To Manly Tyree from those you love to one we love. The Photopraphers of 1914, Atlanta" Also he brought back with him a lovely gold carved penknife bearing the inscription "From the Boys Atlanta", this being presented as a special love token by a large group of artists who were especially close to the retiring president of the association.

Len Broughton May Return

It is learned that the great institutional church, The Baptist Tabernacle, Atlanta, Ga., established by Dr. Len G. Broughton, now pastor of a famous institutional church in London, England, has unanimously called him back to the Atlanta church and the congregation there is hopeful that he will accept and return to America and the South. When asked by cable whether there was a chance for him to be gotten back to Atlanta, before the call was actually extended, the characteristic reply of Dr. Broughton was "Willing to be shown the will of God". It was on the strength of this cabled reply that the call was extended. The congregation is now awaiting the final word from Dr. Broughton.

HON. FRANK THOMPSON DECLINES NOMINATION.

Onslow Man Will Not Make Race for State Senate.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Newbern, N. C., July 2.—Information has reached Newbern from Onslow county that Hon. Frank Thompson, who at the recent primary was nominated as one of the State Senators from this district, has made known the fact that he will not accept the nomination and that someone else must be secured to make the race with A. D. Ward, of this city, against the Republican candidates.

There are said to be several reasons why Mr. Thompson has taken this stand. In the first place his law practice is so large that he cannot afford to leave it, even for two months. He is counsel in Onslow county for the Atlantic Coast Line Railway Company and also represents several large lumber firms.

Just who will be selected to take his place is merely a matter of speculation just at this time, but there is every reason to believe that a candidate will be secured during the next two or three weeks.

IRISH POTATO CROP MUCH BETTER THAN WAS EXPECTED

Main Part of Crop in Warsaw Section Being Marketed

(Special Star Correspondence)

Warsaw, N. C., July 2.—The farmers in this section are busy digging the main part of the Irish potato crop. This part of the crop is yielding far better returns than it was expected that it would do, in fact the yield has more than doubled during the past two weeks. About two weeks ago the first rain that had fallen in nearly two months came. At this time the potatoes that were being dug were very small and of inferior quality, but since that time the growth has been very rapid and the quality has improved also. The writer visited some of the fields to-day where the farmers were digging this crop and it was a common occurence to see potatoes measuring from five to nine inches in circumference, and weighing several pounds.

The farmers state that the yield is far surpassing their expectations.

SUDDEN DEATHS AT WILSON

Mr. Martin Raper Succumbs to Attack of Paralysis

(Special Star Correspondence)

Wilson, N. C., July 2.—Wilson people were shocked this morning with the announcement of the sudden death of Mr. Martin Raper, a well known and highly esteemed farmer of the county. Last night Mr. Raper, visiting at the home of his son, Leonard Raper, retired apparently well and hearty and shortly afterward the family heard groans and making an investigation found Mr. Raper dying from the effects of a stroke of paralysis. The funeral services will be held at the old home Friday morning and will be conducted by Elder George W. Boswell. The burial will be at the family burial ground.

Last night another sudden death caused sorrow—Mrs. Catherine Hart, one of the older citizens, 86 years old, died at her home after an illness of a few hours. The funeral service was held at Standhope church this afternoon.

4TH JULY CANVAS OXFORDS And Pumps at Peterson & Rulfs. —Advertisement. 2t.

Music and dancing all day on the Fourth at Carolina Beach—Advertisement.

FORTY COUNTIES HELD COMMENCEMENTS IN 1914

First One Held in Sampson Four Years Ago

State Department of Education Expects Sixty Counties to be in Line in the Spring of 1915—of Big Educational Value

(Special Star Correspondence)

Raleigh, N. C., July 2.—According to a statement by the State Department of Education there were held in North Carolina, this spring county commencements for the elementary public schools in 40 counties and there is every indication that the number to be held next year will be not fewer than 60.

The idea of the county commencement has grown up in the last four years, according to the State department. having orginated in this State, and has spread until nearly half of the counties in the State are already holding them as annual affairs.

It seems that the first county commencement was held in Sampson county by Superintendent L. L. Matthews in 1810, the commencement being at Autryville, it being a kind of cooperative commencement with a half dozen or more neighboring schools participating. It was so successful that Superintendent Matthews presented his plan to the annual meeting of the county Superintendents of the State that summer. The State Department of Education, the educational and secular press and the superintendents took the matter up and its remarkable growth is the result. Sampson next spring applied the single commencement idea to the entire county.

Wayne fell in line under Superintendent E. T. Atkins. Then Davidson, Lee, Richmond and Wilkes fell in line. Then in 1912 were 10 full county commencements and in 1913 23 and in 1914 40, with prospects found, 747.71[illegible] Atlantic Coast Line, on July 2[illegible] to all points within a radius [illegible] three hundred and twenty [illegible] miles from the selling point [illegible] on the original [illegible] of sale prior to midnight of July [illegible] five. Rates are not made to points upon [illegible] returning to reach starting [illegible] Washington.

For full particulars [illegible] fares, schedules, etc., 'phone [illegible] 7, 1[illegible]

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MONTEAGLE & SEWANEE, TENN. $20.55

On sale June 30; July 6, 10, 17, 24, 25; August 3, 7 and 14, limited returning September 5.

OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLA. $49.65

On sale July 4 and 5, limited returning July 13.

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On sale July 19 and 20, limited returning July 27.

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KANSAS CITY, MO. $42.20

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Proportionately low excursion fares are made to above points from all other points on the Atlantic Coast Line on same dates.

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For schedules, reservations and any particulars desired, 'phone 160, or apply to C. M. ACKER, Ticket Agent of the

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On account of the Fourth of July excursion, round trip tickets will be sold at very low fares at all stations on the Atlantic Coast Line, on July 2nd and 3rd, to all points within a radius of three hundred and twenty miles from the selling point, returning to reach original starting point prior to midnight of July five. Rates are not made to points beyond, limiting fares, schedules, etc., 'phone 160, or apply to

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Effective Friday, June 12, 1914, the present Winston-Salem-Raleigh Pullman Car Line will be changed to Winston-Salem - Beaufort - Morehead City Pullman Car Line for the Summer Season, and will continue in effect until Saturday, August 22, 1914.

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TO THE BEACH

Suburban Schedule

In Effect Saturday, June 6, 1914

WEEK-DAYS

Lv. Wilmington	Lv. Beach
6:25 A. M.	6:05 A. M.
6:55 A. M.	7:10 A. M.
7:25 A. M.	7:40 A. M.
8:00 A. M.	8:15 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	and every half hour thereafter until
5:30 P. M.	5:45 P. M.
6:10 P. M.	6:25 P. M.
6:30 P. M.	6:50 P. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P. M.	7:15 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	11:45 P. M.

Express trains stop at Winter Park Gardens, Sea Gate, Wrightsville and all stations on the Beach.

Lumina Specials stop only at 5th, 7th and 9th streets in Wilmington and at Lumina.

FREIGHT

Lv. Wilmington	Lv. Beach.
6:00 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
9:30 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
3:30 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	8:15 P. M.

Freight Depot open daily, except Sunday, from 8:00 A. M. until 1:00 P. M.; and from 2:00 P. M. until 7:00 P. M.

SUNDAYS

Lv. Wilmington	Lv. Beach
7:00 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
8:30 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	9:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P. M.	11:45 P.M.
12:00 P. M.	

Express trains stop at Winter Park Gardens, Sea Gate, Wrightsville and all stations on the Beach.

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FREIGHT

Lv. Wilmington	Lv. Beach
11:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.

Freight Depot Open: 10 to 11 A.M.

Telephone 667 for information about train movements and matters connected with Railway department.

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Steamship Cherokee Friday, June 19
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Steamship Cherokee, Monday, June 22
Steamship Navahoe, Monday, June 29

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Steamship Cherokee, Saturday June 27

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No. 23—5:00 P. M.—Through Pullman Sleeping car service between Wilmington and Atlanta. Through train for Lumberton, Maxton, Laurinburg and Hamlet, connecting with all trains North and South, at Hamlet.

No. 19—5:00 A. M.—Local train for Charlotte. Sleeper open at 10:00 P. M.

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Lv. Durham	7:00 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
Lv. Lynchburg	2:45 p.m.	2:30 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a.m.	6:20 p.m.
Ar. Columbus	6:15 a.m.	7:00 p.m.
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p.m.	8:00 a.m.
Ar. St. Louis	6:32 p.m.	8:30 a.m.

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DEPARTURES:	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90. ! 3:40 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. No. 91 leaves Norfolk 3:40 P. M. and Richmond 4:10 P. M.	No. 91. a 1:15 A.M.
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ARCHDUKE CHARLES FRANCIS JOSEPH and WIFE

Vienna, July 1.—Archduke Charles Francis Joseph, the new heir to the throne of Austria-Hungary, is a nephew of Archduke Francis Ferdinand and a great-nephey of the emperor. He is a son of the late Archduke Otto and Princess Marie Josepha of Saxony and is only 26 years old. In 1911 he married a distant cousin, the Archduchess Zita, of Parma. He is a typical young Austrian officer, very gay, very popular and extremely devoted to his wife, who is a great favorite with the emperor. The archduke's slender, tall figure was recently seen at many court functions. His predominant characteristics are tact, graciousness and gracefulness of demeanor, which explain his popularity. Like most members of the house of Hapsburg, he is an excellent shot and is fond of hunting. He is also an eager motorist and has often been known to drive his own car. The archduke has one son. the Archduke Francis Joseph Otto, two years old. He also has an infant daughter.

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Friday, July, 3, 1914.

Because a man keeps his mouth shut is no sign that he isn't studying up a whole lot of devilment.

What has become of the old fashioned folks who used to go twenty miles to witness a balloon ascension?

The "Conservative Republican Party" has been organized in Winconsin so it won't be objectionable to radical Progressives.

About all that is left of the Republican party in North Carolina is enough Progressives to act as receivers of the G. O. P.

The fact that New York financiers cannot pile up mammoth fortunes like they used to, is hard on them but it makes it easier on the people.

A large crop of rye has been produced, but we have seen nothing to indicate the state of the market in Peoria, Pittsburg or Louisville.

The average sorehead manages to get it into his head that the majority will be on the sorehead side at the November election.

With the Fourth of July to be put up with, along comes the announcement that the next Winter's supply of coal is being distributed over the country.

It is urged by a writer on economy "Only one person in the family should hold the purse strings". We had an idea all along that there was only one of her.

Having gained a reputation for saying absolutely nothing while he was in Mexico, the Hon. John Lind ought to be able to prove an alibi to the charge that he did too much talking to the Constitutionalists.

While American Big Business was exploiting the people of the United States, the world's big business interests were competing in Mexico as to which could get the best end of exploitation in that country.

The discoverers of "intrigue" evidently attach more importance to the "in" in intrigue than they do to the "trigue". An "intrigue" intended to prove an intrigue based on a fake adds to the gaiety of the Mexican situation.

The Agricultural Department announces that cockroaches love stale beer, and a bulletin recommends that it makes good bait for the cockroach traps. Those who despise cockroaches should let their beer get stale so it can be used as bait.

The man who took a tent and took to the woods to get away from a house in which there were children, went to the right place. The tall timber is the place for any man who does not love children enough to be their pal.

Colonel Bryan's credit is good but there is nothing to the credit of those who have charged him many things for the purpose of discrediting him. Along with the failure of the Claflin company will be that of those who are trying to down the Nebraskan.

Senator Owen has introduced a bill to punish any candidate or politican who seeks votes by handing out cigars. That will save the candidate a little money but it will he hard on the men who smoke more cigars during a campaign than they do in off years.

Having at last been indicted, former president Mellen, of the New Haven road, will have to prove as his defense his Voluntary confession that instead of being at the head of the road he was the rubber stamp of J. Pierpont Morgan and his financial coterie.

The Washington man who had to pay a big fine for playing the masher game in Richmond, no doubt was too bold and open in his effort to attract the attention of Richmond beauties. The passing throng in Richmond is liable to turn any Washington man's head, but, of course, the rule in Richmond is for a man to see all he can without trying to can all he sees.

THE DEMAGOGUES AT BAY.

Like North Carolina, Georgia was powerless in the matter of equalizing taxation, and among the consequences was a lack of funds to support the State government, to extend the school system and to do other things that would assure progress in Georgia. It is a State of great resources but they were unavailable in any progressive movement which it was necessary to make for the State and its people. More than half the counties of Georgia were content to be put in the pauper list, yet tnere is not a pauper county in the State. That only is one of the possibilities and results of a false economic system.

The great State of Georgia saw the lost motion in its machinery and, realizing that there could be no movement ahead for a State of great possibilities and opportunities, the General Assembly passed an act under which the equalization of taxes could be accomplished so the counties could be emancipated from a false and ruinous old taxing system. The Georgia law has worked a revolution, and there is progress ahead for the State and all its counties.

Nevertheless, there are demagogues in Georgia, those parasites on the body politic, who furnish the corpses for the funerals which make it better for a community, as unfortunate as that may seem to be in a humane particular. Well, the Georgia demagogues, who are peculiar cusses, as demagogues everywhere are, have attempted to start something in this campaign. They want ofnce and they conceived that the best chance they had was to engage in a camapign to create dissatisfaction. They began to appeal to the ignorant and the poor who always furnish the material which a demagogue tries to work up into success for himself. They conceived that it would be a winning card to make Georgia's equalization act an issue in the campaign.

Georgia's dissatisfaction constructionists have been called down, says the Atlanta Constitution. "The futile attempt to make the tax equalization act an issue in the pending State campaign is a refreshing exhibition of demagogy at bay," that paper says. A look around over Georgia easily shows what tax equalization is doing for the State and the taxpayers, and so the demagogues are for once confounded.

What Georgia's new law has accomplished and is accomplishing is now becoming a matter of common knowledge throughout the State. Fought at first, or regarded with suspicion, the law now is almost universally acclaimed, as the Constitution states it. There is a reason for the chorus of satisfaction coming from every section of the State, with the result that there is a tragic sag and calamitous collapse in the demagogic plot to weaken the law.

With the enforcement of the Georgia law, the mass of the people—the average man—finds that they have been paying more taxes than they should, because a few consciousless tax dodgers have been paying considerably less than they should—many of them paying nothing at all. The discovery has drawn the fangs of the demagogues that were ready to grasp at the tax equalization law, or at any law, hoping to obtain a few votes by appeal to parsimony, passion and prejudice.

We came very nearly forgetting to say that Georgia's old false tax system not only was responsible for pauper counties, but that for years the State treasury nas suffered the disadvantages and disgrace of a deficit, year after year. In North Carolina the same condition prevails and it is such as that which keeps the State from going ahead as it should. However, the Atlanta paper says the Georgia demagogues have made the further discovery that the new law means that the State's current and disgraceful deficit is to be wiped out and the tax rate actually reduced without any property owner's paying one cent more than in justice he should pay.

In North Carolina we have the same kind of demagogues, some politicians and a few editors, who play on the ignorance and prejudice of the people by attacking the proposed constitutional amendments which will place North Carolina on an equal footing for progress with the progressive State of Georgia. Some of them are already at work, and sometimes we doubt whether they are conscious of the fact that it is their class which preempted for North Carolina the soubriquet of being "a strip of land between Virginia and South Carolina." Possibly they don't know that they are the men who hold the State back and consequently blast the opportunities of the deserving class of men to whose prejudice they appeal. We have all suffered from the demagogy of such men, and certainly the masses have been the greatest sufferers.

If the people in North Carolina want to know why their children have been permitted to grow up in ignorance and without opportunities, let them take a squint at the demagogues and light-topped statesmen in their midst. If they want to know why the cities have fine school systems, fine educational equipments, long school terms, and efficient corps of teachers, while the country has poor schools, four months terms and shacks which their children have to attend to get the cobwebs out of their little brains, let them turn a contemptuous glance in the direction of the self-seeking demagogue.

If they want to know how it is that North Carolina is way down at the bottom of the list with mongrelized New Mexico, in her rating as to illiteracy, let them give a withering look at the stupid or designing demagogue who makes capital at the expense of the enlightenment and uplift of the little girls and the little boys in the country—the future assets of the State and the heirs of eternity.

Instead of listening to wily and back-raking individuals who handicap the State and sacrifice its country boys and girls to the molock of ignorance, let the masses of the people turn upon them with scorn and send down upon them an overwhelming avalanche of condemnation.

We don't care for any politics in a question like this. We think more of the State and its boys and girls than we do of all the politicians doing business between Virginia and South Carolina.

THE CHARLOTTE DISASTER.

That was a heart-rending story from Charlotte, detailing a fire tragedy which occurred about 9 o'clock Wednesday morning. The most deplorable thing about it was that the lives of men serving the public were snuffed out and the bodies of others were maimed and bruised by a dynamite explosion of great violence. In this catastrophe Charlotte lost her fire chief, J. H. Wallace, the brave, efficient and popular head of the fire department. Another life lost was that of Fireman William B. Glenn, a brave and faithful public servant, who was in the very forefront of duty and danger. Seven or eight more of the fearless fire fighters were more or less injured and fearfully shocked by the terrific force of the explosion.

The tragedy was the result of fire in a barn on the premises of Mr. J. B. Hawkins, a builder and contractor. The woeful feature was the deadly explosion of dynamite which the contractor used in his business and which he kept stored clos to his barn. Of course, the efforts of the firemen to save the barn were made absolutely futile by the deadly and destructive force of the explosion.

The material loss is nothing, compared with the lives lost and the injuries caused among those who do battle for the public none the less that it is not on a battlefield. Their occupation is hazardous, but the men who protect Charlotte and Wilmington and any other city from fire face constant dangers, though they never quail. Pitiable it is that now and then they die or are maimed for life in doing their duty to the public, which they do heroically serve.

In the midst of death and destruction at the Charlotte catastrophe there was opportunity for such magnificent heroism as was displayed by a fireman who rushed into danger to rescue their companions. Then there was that self-sacrificing heroism of Fireman Randolph Erwin, who, with a terrible, gaping wound in his forehead and his body filled with splinters, begged his comrades to leave him and go to those still under the debris of the explosion.

Doubtless Charlotte has an ordinance against the storing of explosives within the city limits. That law has been violated with terrible and horrible consequences. It is liable to happen in Charlotte or Wilmington if the law is not enforced, and the people themselves do not realize the danger their violation of the law or their carelessness entails.

OLD FRIENDS AT OUTS AND BOTH OUT

Teddy talks as if it is his opinion that he filled the bill while he was president for two terms. While he was handling the trust in his way, more of that class of violators of the Sherman act were organized than had taken the field during all the other administrations of the country from George Washington to Woodrow Wilson.

No doubt former President Taft will go through life believing himself to be the Jonah of Chief Magistrates. The 1907 panic, known by the name of Roosevelt, was dumped over on Taft and the recovery period was naturally so slow that the responsibility was saddled on the ponderous gentleman from Ohio. Even so, Mr. Taft occasionally makes as much noise as if he thinks also that he out ice in as big hunks as an iceberg when it breaks loose from the Arctic and starts on its journey south to menace the biggest ships afloat.

Probably, Professor Taft known that the only bill which his old friend Teddy ever filled was his former crony Big Bill, whom he filled with woe by cutting loose from him in 1912. The two ex-presidents are friends at out and both are out for good.

THE WOES OF WILSON.

The Democratic party and the country generally need to stand more firmly than ever behind President Wilson. It used to be "Wilson's winning way" and "Wilson will win," but it is now the day of Wilson's woe. A campaign is on and the enemies of a people's administration are thundering against him. Cunning foes are digging pits, and the unprincipled antagonists of Democracy are laying plots. Everything fair and everything foul is being called into requisition for a common purpose.

The purpose is basely common at that. There is misrepresentation, canarding and dirty work, all the evidences that an underhand campaign is on. Let the people be on their guard and be heedless of the machinations of those who have no interest in the people but have special interests to serve.

As between the dissatisfied Pinchot brothers and George Wampum Perkins, the Progressive party prefers its wampum.

The Newbern Sun has just celebrated the seventh year of its publication. A splendid achievement has been scored by the Sun in the North Carolina newspaper field, and Editor Dunn has every reason to be proud of it. The paper is a credit to Newbern and is not only a well edited and sprightly newspaper, but its typographic appearance is up to standard. Success to our esteemed contemporary.

The H. B. Claflin Company busted itself trying to be the great America dry goods octopus. Republicans are trying to put the blame on the Wilson administration and if they can succeed it will show that while Wilson is President trusts automatically bust while they are trying to get organized for business. Bankers are now getting particular about furnishing the money to back up huge monopolistic combinations.

An Englishman having come over to this country, has given it out as his opinion that "what this country needs is more critics." The probability is that the Englishman did not take the trouble to go to Washington and look over Colonel Bryan's compilation of the names of those who have been endeavoring to be critics ever since he became Secretary of State.

Jealously between North Carolina cities won't help either party to the jealousy. They all grow despite their jealousies, but not in spite. Generous rivalry and earnest emulation of each other's progressiveness, enterprise and public spirit will keep all the State's cities growing and making progress to beat the band.

CURRENT COMMENT.

An esteemed contemporary calls the fight between a reporter and a hardware man in Wilmington an exhibition of "personal journalism." Shall we not rather say "muscular journalism"?—Raleigh News and Observer.

In our opinion the Democratic State Executive Committee did the right thing and also the wise thing politically when it ordered a second primary in the Third Congressional district. Certainly neither Congressional District has a right to object to a candidate deciding the issue.—The people's Journal, Winston-Salem.

The Hon. [illegible], of Minneapolis, Minn., is one bold man. Judge Clark, of Minn., is one address before the State Bar Association at Wrightsville Beach yesterday. Last night Mr. Brown spoke and in his address referred to Judge Clark as one of the "muckrakers of the constitution." North Carolina's chief justice favors the recall of judges and several other measures that most attorneys abhor. It would be interesting to hear these gentlemen in joint debate.—Greensboro Record.

All through Bladen and Columbus counties are thousands of acres of "worked over" pine lands, abandoned to bunch grass and scrub trees. It is a most unpromising looking prospect from an agricultural standpoint, yet in these abandoned fields are the best farming possibilities in the State. These lands are similar in all material respects to the sand hills of Moore, Lee and adjoining counties which have been the scenes of recent vast development work. Perhaps the prospect is a better one, for the Columbus and Bladen lands are of a composition of sand, marl and clay and are naturally richer than the sand hills. In the two counties mentioned, however, the drainage work would entail a heavier expense than in the sand hills. But even at that, the oportunities for development are of the most attractive sort, and what has been done in the sand hills can be repeated in the abandoned turpentine fields. In this section is to be found the finest bid for colonization in the South. The idle land is available in tracts of all sizes, and there is easily room in Columbus and Bladen counties for a doubling of population. One large development scheme, similar to that in Richmond county by Gates and the Pages, is under way in Columbus. Its success is foreordained and it is reasonable to suppose that this pioneer work in that section will lead to further investments and the bringing into productiveness of the vast area of waste land in that rich part of North Carolina.—Charlotte Observer.

WILSON OPTIMISTIC

Expects Record-Breaking Leaf Tobacco Sales This Year

(Special Star Correspondence)

Wilson, N. C., July 2.—Reports coming in from every section of the territory tributary to Wilson suggest a record-breaking period for the tobacco warehouses the coming season. One of the best posted warehousemen stated yesterday that he expects to see the total sales of bright leaf run over 26,000,000 pounds and the prospect is for the high prices of last fall.

Dance—Dance—Dance—Music all day on the Fourth by Brown's Orchestra at Carolina Beach.—Advertisement.

Pepsi Cola gives you the most wholesome sort of brain refreshment, and body vigor. Each benefit which it brings is everlasting benefit, because Pepsi Cola is pure—healthful. Fruit, pepsin and stimulating oils, in it, quench thirst, aid digestion, relieve fatigue. Everybody likes its tart, rare flavor.

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ATHLETIC MEET AT BEACH

Many Entries for Events at Lumina Tomorrow—Attractive List of Prizes Offered.

Today is the last day for entries to be made at the Y. M. C. A. for the various athletic events at Wrightsville Beach which take place tomorrow. There are 15 in all and there have already been more than 60 entries. The indications are, says Mr. J. B. Huntington, who has general charge of the meet, that this will be the most successful athletic contest that has yet been given at Lumina. Attractive prizes will be awarded the successful contestants. The meet is always one of great interest to the people of the city and in addition furnishes entertainment for the many visitors on the beach.

The programme of events which begin tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock, is as follows:

100 yard dash (under 110 pounds)—1st place, silver cup; 2nd place, three round trip tickets; 3rd place, 1 round trip ticket.

100 yard dash, (110 pounds to 135 pounds)—1st place, silver cup; 2nd place, three round tdip tickets; 3rd place, one round trip ticket.

100 yard dash (over 135 pounds)—1st place, silver cup; 2nd place, three round trip tickets; 3rd place, three round trip tickets; 3ru place, one round trip ticket.

Double standing broad jump (under 110 pounds)—1st place, silver cup; 2nd place, three round trip tickets; 3rd place, one round trip ticket.

Double standing broad jump (110 pounds and over)—1st place, silver cup; 2nd place, three round trip tickets; 3rd place, one round trip ticket.

Sack race, 75 yards, (under 110 pounds)—1st place, silver cup; 2nd place, three round trip tickets; 3rd place, one round trip ticket.

Sack race, 75 yards, (110 pounds and over)—1st place, silver cup; 2nd place, three round trip tickets; 3rd place, one round trip ticket.

Girls' flag race, 100 feet, (under 12 years)—1st place, two pounds Nunnally's candy; 2nd place, three round trip tickets; 3rd place, one round trip ticket.

Girls' flag race, 100 feet, (12 years and over)—1st place, two pounds Nunnally's candy; 2nd place, three round trip tickets; 3rd place, one round trip ticket.

Potato race, eight potatoes, four feet apart, (under 110 pounds)—1st place, silver cup; 2nd place, three round trip tickets; 3rd place, one round trip ticket.

Potato race, eight potatoes, four feet apart, (100 pounds and over)—1st place, silver cup; 2nd place, three round trip tickets; 3rd place, one round trip ticket.

220-yard dash, (open to all)—1st place, silver cup; 2nd place, three round trip tickets; 3rd place, one round trip ticket.

Canoe race through the surf, one-half mile—1st place, two silver cups; 2nd place, six round trip tickets; 3rd place, two round trip tickets.

Swimming race, 100 yards out and back (under 110 pounds)—1st place, silver cup; 2nd place, three round trip tickets; 3rd place, one round trip ticket.

Swimming race, 220 yards, out and back, (110 pounds and over)—1st place, silver cup; 2nd place, three round trip tickets; 3rd place, one round trip ticket.

There will be a handsome prize awarded the winner of the canoe series of four races on the above dates. Seven points will be scored to each man in the winning canoe; five points to each man in the second canoe; three points to each man in the third canoe, and one point to each man in the fourth canoe.

The officials of the meet this year will be as follows: Referee, J. B. Huntington; marshal, J. P. Seitters; judges, D. Frank Holloway and R. S. McClelland; starter, Fowler Morrison. The events will start at 11 A. M. July 4th.

All those wishing to enter one or more of the contests are requested to report at the Y. M. C. A. building today. All contestants are required to get weight certificates from Mr. J. P. Seitters, the physical director at the Y. M. C. A.

WILL LIBERATE PIGEONS HERE TOMORROW MORNING

Postmaster Green Will Start Carrier Birds on Long Journey.

Postmaster Green extends a cordial invitation to the public to be present on the postoffice lawn in front of The Star building tomorrow morning at 5 o'clock when he will liberate 12 carrier pigeons which have been sent to him by Mr. G. W. Beddall, a pigeon fancier, of Port Carbon, Pa. Mr. Green stated yesterday that the reason the birds are to be liberated so early in the morning is in order to give them at least 12 hours of daylight for their flight home. The distance is nearly 700 miles, but Mr. Beddall states that the pigeons can easily make the journey in a single day, if they are given an early start.

Postmaster Green is accustomed to getting up early and this will cause him no inconvenience. However, there are not a great many people on the streets at that time and it is not likely that there will be a large audience. Mr. Green is especially desirous that all lovers of birds and of the beauties of early morning be present tomorrow morning.

Mr. Beddall some time ago sent to Postmaster Green a half dozen birds to be liberated here. Evidently somebody shot into the bunch as they became scattered, and did not reach home until several days later. One of the birds was found later in Charlotte.

Mr. Beddall will send birds to several other points in the South to be liberated tomorrow morning. He has been following this hobby for some time and derives much pleasure from it. Postmaster Green finds it most interesting and it is not unlikely that he will at an early date secure several young carrier pigeons and train them for long distance flights.

For Guilford Celebration.

Three companies of the Coast Artillery at Fort Caswell are expected to leave there today for the annual Fourth of July celebration at the Guilford Battleground, near Greensboro. They will travel in special cars over the W., B. & S. to Wilmington, thence by special train over the Coast Line and Southern to Greensboro. Capt. E. L. Gilmer, commanding one of the companies, is a native of Greensboro, and the visit will have especial pleasure for him.

Safest surf bathing at Carolina Beach.—Advertisement.

ANOTHER "DRREST" MONTH

June, Like May, Broke All Weather Records Here for Rainfall. High Temperature.

Following the month of May, which was the dryest in the history of the local weather bureau, June added another to the list, only 1.13 inches of rain having fallen during the entire month. May was still dryer, only one-tenth of an inch falling in that month. The dryest June previous to 1914 was in 1905, with 1.73 inches. June made a record, too, in the way of temperature, the maximum of 98 on the 23rd, being the highest registered here in seven years.

Observer Felger, always an optimist, mildly suggested yesterday that mention should be made of the fact that more rain fell at Wrightsville Beach in June than in Wilmington. He said that several times when only a trace was registered here there had been a good rain down there.

So many weather records have been broken in Wilmington during the year that Mr. Felger has ceased to look upon them with any great degree of interest. The Philadelphia baseball team came down and straightway the thermometer began falling, the sleet came, snow fell and all kinds of records were broken. The editors came and the thermometer began rising and kept on until Wilmington seemed destined to get into Greensboro's class as the hottest city in the State.

April broke a record by having a greater rainfall than any previous April since Uncle Sam has been keeping a record here. On the strength of the moisture farmers neglected to plant corn as early as they should with the result that some failed to get good stands.

May followed with scarcely any rain and then came June with more dry weather. June usually has a large rainfall. Back in 1876 there was over 12 inches of rain in June, just about one-fourth of the normal rainfall for the year, which is 51 inches. The records go back to 1871, which, as can be easily figured, was 43 years ago. With two months in succession, the dryest in 43 years, Wilmington is sure to establish some reputation for breaking weather records.

Observer Felger will not dare forecast what record will be broken in July. He called attention yesterday to the fine shower that fell yesterday afternoon and stated that it was a good omen. He thinks it will be a good crop year.

SHERIFF COWAN FAILS TO FIND NEGRO WANTED

Spends Night in East Wilmington, Looking for Fugitive.

The usual genial smile displayed by Sheriff Cowan was absent yesterday as he pored over schedule B taxes and tried to figure out how many Wilmington people have failed to get new automobile licenses as required by the State law. He had much of the appearance of "the morning after."

"Why this glumness and gruffness, after such a refreshing shower?" asked a newspaper man, yesterday afternoon.

Then the sheriff proceeded to unload his story of woe. Accompanied by Deputy Sheriff Kelly, Mr. H. Mack Godwin and Policemen Thompson and Bullard, the Sheriff stated, he was out until after midnight Wednesday night making a diligent search in East Wilmington for Mack Judd, a negro, who shot Melvin Hayes, another negro, at the Wilmington Cooperage plant Saturday afternoon. The officers followed several trails that led nowhere and finally gave up the hunt.

They returned to the city tired and weary for a couple of hours of sleep. At 3:30 yesterday morning the Sheriff, accompanied by Messrs. Kelly and Godwin, went back to East Wilmington, for they had been informed that teh negro slept in the woods and that at 5 o'clock every morning he went to a certain fence to get food which was left there by some one. Or, at least, a negro is said to have been doing this for several nights.

As there are a number of negroes at large, wanted on various charges, Sheriff Cowan thought that he might get some fugitive from justice. The officers hid around in the bushes and waited for the food to be delivered and then for the negro to come to get it. They waited patiently until 6:30 o'clock, but nobody brought any food and no sign of a negro did they see.

Weary, tired, mad and disgusted, they again returned to the city in time to get breakfast.

No wonder the Sheriff was gruff. Figuring schedule B taxes in the summer time, with no sleep, is not an easy job.

"A MARK OF PROGRESS."

Clever Idea of Superintendent Creating Much Interest.

An attractive sign, done in colors and conspicuously displayed at corner of Front and Chesnut streets, over which the splendid new Murchison National Bank building towers, has attracted no end of interest the past several weeks, especially from strangers visiting the city, this being a most effective advertisement for the port and all its interests. The sign, referring, of course, to the splendid building, bears this legend:

"This Building is a Mark of Wilmington's Progress.
Grasp the Opportunity to Locate Your Business Here.
Then Watch Your Business Grow!"

The idea is unique and reflects the progressive spirit of Mr. F. G. Cover, superintendent and renting agent of the building, who has already established headquarters in the building and is looking after the interests of all prospective tenants.

HAVE ORDERED MATERIAL

Tidewater Will Begin Work on Car Line Extensions Soon

The material for the extension of the car line from Fourth street out Red Cross to the James Walker Memorial Hospital has been ordered and work will begin about August 15th according to an announcement made yesterday by Mr. A. B. Skelding, general manager of the Tidewater Power Company. As soon as the material arrives active operations will be started and the work rushed to completion.

It is expected that work on the extension through Carolina Place will begin w ihitn the next several weeks. This line will branch off from the suburban line at 17th street and Perry avenue and will extend down Perry avenue to 20th street. The line will follow 20th street to Mews avenue.

THE BARCAROLLE WALTZ by Miss Chandler and Mr. West at Lumina tonight.—Advertisement

COMPLAINT HAS BEEN FILED

Council's Contentions Against Health Department Drafted for Formal Adoption—Not Public.

The old question of "When is a paper on file not on file?" bobbed up again yesterday in local municipal circles and with City Clerk and Treasurer Meares seated benignly "on the lid," the public must await the pleasure of the City Council before it can have the full text of that immortal document: A copy of the charges filed by the city council against the county board of health.

It was given out on Wednesday that on the morrow, Councilman W. F. Jones would file his bill of particulars as to the health department with the city clerk and treasurer, and naturally the enterprising young gentlemen of the public press were on the qui vive for a copy of the report. In fact, Councilman Jones was good enough to make two copies of the paper and these were left with the city clerk and treasurer, but alas!, the clerk ruled that until the documents went before council, they are not public property and the public must wait. And waiting they are. It was hinted about the city hall yesterday afternoon that a special meeting of council would be held this morning for a consideration of the complaint, charges, or otherwise, but thus far nothing definite has been learned.

According to those who have been permitted to see the report at long range, it is of six or seven typewritten pages in length and is in legal form, being clothed in the rather legal phraseology: "City Council of Wilmington vs. County Board of Health—Complaint," or words to that effect. Then follows an introduction and bill of particulars.

Mr. Meares takes the position that as it is a paper for adoption by the Council, until Council has an opportunity of passing upon it, he has no right to make it public. His position is doubtless entirely correct, but the average citizen will wonder why not make the poper public at one time as well as another. From appearances the report has been carefully drawn and after going over it, threshing the whole matter out, it will be adopted and a copy will then be filed with the three arbiters who are to go into the matter fully and present their findings on the whole question.

As will be recalled, Mr. M. J. Corbett has been named as an arbiter on behalf of the council and Mr. J. A. Taylor by the citizens' committee, while the United States Public Health Service will be expected to name the third member of the board. Chairman Willard, of the Board of Health, has made application for the services of the third arbiter through the State Board of Health, to the United States health authorities, but until last night he had heard nothing of the designation of a third member. In fact, the letter originally written by Mr. Willard to Dr. J. Howell Way, president of the State Board, seems to have gone astray. Mr. Willard has written again and it is expected that some reply will be received within the next few days.

In the meantime the public wants to see the investigation get under and out of the way. Now that the charge or complaint has been filed, even though not yet made public, it is expected that the next move will be by the County Board of Health and then will come on apace the actual investigation. It promises to afford enlightenment and some amusement all summer.

HANDSOME RESIDENCE SOLD

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Weathers Buy Property at 216 Chesnut Street

Through Mr. L. W. Moore, real estate agent, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Weathers yesterday purchased from Mr Joseph E. Winstead the handsome two story eight-room residence at No. 216 Chesnut street, the consideration being in the neighborhood of $7,000. The house is located on a lot 50 by 55 feet in size.

Other deals in realty yesterday according to the deeds filed for record with the Register of Deeds were as follow:

W. M. Cumming and wife to S. M. Seigler, Jr., for $100 and other considerations, lot on west side of 10th street, 231 feet south of Marsteller; Robert McLaughlin to Inda Hudson, for $10 and other consideration, lot on west side of 15th street, 165 feet from Meares, 165 by 33 feet in size; W L. Bryan and wife to L. A. Bryan, for $100 and other considerations, 75 acres of land on the Federal Point macadam road; Herbert A. Lynch and wife to B. F. King, Jr. and S. Seigler, Jr, for $100 dna other considerations, lot on north side of Marsteller street, 76 feet east of 10th, 37 by 66 feet in size; B. F. King Jr. and S. Seigler, Jr., to the Clark-Lynch Lumber Co., for $100 and other considerations, lot on west side of 10th street, 231 feet south of Marsteller, 66 by 33 feet in size.

MR. POE APPRECIATIVE.

Retiring President of Press Association Extends Personal Thanks.

The appreciation of the editors of the State of the splendid treatment accorded them while they were in Wilmington and at Wrightsville Beach during the recent meeting of the North Carolina Press Association has been unanimous. The following personal letter of appreciation by Mr. Clarence Poe, retiring president of the association, is a fine tribute to the local committee and the citizens of Wilmington generally:

"Raleigh, N. C., July 1, 1914.

"To the Editor of The Star:

"In addition to the resolutions passed by the State Press Association in appreciation of the h[illegible]-mington and Wrightsville at our recent meeting, I cannot refrain from sending you a line, as president of the Association, to express my own appreciation of the magnificent way in which the local committee and the citizens of Wilmington gensrally worked to make the meeting the splendid success it turned out to be. I really feel that the unusual and unremitting efforts of the Wilmington people to promote our comfort and pleasure make it fitting that I add this word of personal appreciation and recognition.

"And I should also add that I have never known the newspapers to be more liberal in their treatment of any meeting. "Yours sincerely,

"CLARENCE POE.

"Retiring President North Carolina Press Association."

4TH JULY CANVAS OXFORDS And Pumps at Peterson & Rulfs. —Advertisement. 2t.

CITY FINANCES FOR JUNE

Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for the Different Municipal Departments.

Capt. Thos. D. Meares, city clerk and treasurer, yesterday completed the general statement of receipts and disbursements of the city of Wilmington for the month of June. The statement shows that there is to the credit of the general fund $169,679.26 and a cash balance of $166,536.73.

Following are the receipts and disbursements for the various departments of the city:

General Fund—Balance on hand June 1st, $203,967.80. Deduct $15,449.24, as follows: scavenger $1,950.44; water and sewerage $2,447.17; incinerator $8,751.63; park fund, $300. To this is to be added $65.79 for sidewalks, making a total of $190,584.35. The total tax collections and other receipts for the month were $10,448.54. The disbursements were $31,363.63, leaving a balance of $169,679.26 on July 1st.

Water and Sewerage Department (operating)—Deficit June 1st, $2,447.17. Transferred to the general fund, $2,447.17. Receipts for June from water $133.75 and $16.55 from sewerage. The disbursements for the month were $3,149.23, leaving a deficit on July 1st of $2,998.93.

Water and Sewerage (construction)—Balance on hand June 1st, $18,261.63. Receipts from interest $434.85; Disbursements for month were $10,938.77; leaving a balance on hand July 1st, $7,747.71.

Park Fund—Deficit on June 1st of $1,034.86. Transferred to general fund, $300, leaving a deficit on July 1st of $734.86.

Sidewalks—Deficit on June 1st of $7,094.67. Transferred to general fund $65.79. Receipts for June, $62.74, making a deficit on July 1st of $7,097.72.

Scavenger—Deficit on June 1st, $1,950.44. Transferred to general fund $1,950.44. Receipts for June $1,132.10; disbursements $1,190.83. Deficit on July 1st, $58.73.

Incinerator—Deficit on June 1st, $8,751.63. Transferred to general fund $8,751.63.

Summary of balances—Debits: Water and Sewerage (operating), $2,998.93; park fund $734.86; sidewalks $7,097.72; scavenger $58.73; cash on hand, $166,536.73. Credits: General fund, $169,679.26; sewer bond fund, $7,747.71. The cash on hand is deposited as follows: American National Bank $99,722.05; People's Savings Bank, $10,000; Wilmington Savings & Trust Company, $13,000; Atlantic Trust & Banking Co., $20,000; Home Savings Bank, $5,000; coupons in New York, $19,580; coupons in Philadelphia, $75; coupons in Baltimore, $60; coupons in Wilmington, $100; cash and cash items, $1,027.74; total deposits $168,564.79. Murchison National Bank, overdrawn, $2,028.06; leaving a total cash balance of $166,536.73.

TOOK AN ENTIRE EDITION.

Parent Company of Sterchi-Bancroft Rich Company as Advertisers.

What is believed to be a new high record for advertising in the Southern States has just been established upon the occasion of their 25th anniversary by Sterchi Brothers, of Knoxville, Tenn., the parent firm of Sterchi-Bancroft-Rich Company, of this city, furniture dealers on Front street, this firm having taken a total of 24 pages of the edition of the Knoxville Sentinel of Monday, June 29th.

Like the firm of Messrs. Sterchi-Bancroft-Rich Co., of this city, the Sterchi Brothers are persistent, systematic advertisers, and that they have succeeded eminently is attested by their prestige in the business world today. They have eleven stores in four Southern States, of which chain of enterprises the Knoxville store is the foremost.

A part of this large edition of advertising is devoted to the Wilmington store, with cuts of the building and excellent half-tone likenesses of Mr. Edwin Bancroft, treasurer, and Mr. A. D. Rich, secretary, of the Wilmington store. Copies of the Sentinel containing this extensive advertising may be had by applying at the store of the Sterchi-Bancroft-Rich Company, on Front street.

REFRESHING RAINS.

Marked Precipitation Yesterday Over Most of County.

While refreshing rains have fallen during the past several days, practically everywhere else in the State, it was not until yesterday afternoon between 2 and 3 o'clock that anything like a copious rainfall visited the immediate Wilmington section. And immediately in Wilmington yesterday the precipitation was not great, but it was quite refreshing after an unduly heated esason of a week or ten days.

In the county, however, on the sounds and towards the beaches, there was a very heavy rainfall, accompanied by some electricity. Between Wilmington and Wrightsville a very heavy fall was experienced, and in other portions of the county there were also good rains. The lightning between Wilmington and Wrightsville was severe, and the motor under at least one car on the suburban line was burned out as a result of excess electricity.

The Cotton Region Bulletin issued yesterday morning at 8 o'clock showed that for the 24 hours preceding there were heavy rainfalls at Raleigh with 1.42 inches, and Weldon, 1.11. Lumberton, Greensboro, Goldsboro, Cheraw, S. C., and Charlotte reported very good rains during the period.

SEVEN-FOOT ALLIGATOR

Large Reptile Caught Yesterday Near Winter Park Gardens

Using a large drum hook and a chicken for bait, Mr. A. H. High, of Winter Park Gardens, yesterday caught in what is known as Silver Lake, to the westward of the station about one mile, a large, seven-foot alligater which was exhibited alive yesterday afternoon at Mr. High's residence. Mr. High has had a suspicion for some weeks that a gater had his habitat in the lake, which is a part of the county park, donated by Mr. and Mrs. Hugh MacRae, and the hook was set on Wednesday.

Mr. High went to his "trap" yesterday afternoon and found the seven-foot reptile firmly hooked, having swallowed the bait, hook and all. The gater was taken alive to Mr. High's residence, but he will later be killed and the hide preserved.

JULY 4th at LUMINA
Why not spend the day at the South's most famous Pavilion? Music, Dancing, surf bathing, athletic contests, exhibition dancing, moving pictures.—Advertisement

YOUR IDLE FUNDS

May be employed while awaiting investment by the use of our Certificate of Deposit, which is payable on Demand and bears interest from date, if left with us three months or longer.

"THE HOME OF SAVINGS."

The Peoples Savings Bank

CORNER FRONT AND PRINCESS STREETS.

The Wilmington Savings and Trust Company

ACTS AS

EXECUTOR—Under Wills.
ADMINISTRATOR—Without a Will, or With the Will Annexed.
GUARDIAN—Of a Minor, or Incapable Person.
TRUSTEE—To Execute Trusts, or Hold Funds Impartially.

Where Our Company is Designated as Executor, your Will will be Drawn, Cared For and Filed Without Charge.

Confidential Discussion of any Trust matters is invited.

Capital . . . . . $ 100,000.00
Surplus . . . . . $ 300,000.00
Resources $2,500,000.00

SPANISH PEANUTS

100 bushels Spanish Seed Peanuts.
4000 lbs Paris Green.
200 bags Purina Scratch Feed.
100 bags Purina Chick Feed.
600 bags Arab Horse Feed.
200 bags June Pasture Dairy Feed.
100 bags Lima Beans.
50 bags Navy Beans.

Special Prices on Above This Week.

D. L. GORE COMPANY
WHOLESALE GROCERS

FRECKLE-FACE

Sun and Wind Bring Out Ugly Spots How to Remove Easily.

Here's a chance, Miss Freckle-face, to try a remedy for freckles with the guarantee of a reliable dealer that it will not cost you a penny unless it removes the freckles; while if it does give you a clear complexion the expense is trifling.

Simply get an ounce of othine—double strength from any druggist and a few applications should show you how easy it is to rid yourself of the homely freckles and get a beautiful complexion. Rarely is more than one ounce needed for the worst case.

Be sure to ask the druggist for the double strength othine as this is the prescription sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.

THE NORTH CAROLINA
College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts

This State Industrial College offers strong courses in Agriculture, Horticulture, Stock raising, Dairying, Poultry, Veterinary Medicine; in Civil, Electrical, and Mechanical Engineering; in Chemistry and Dyeing; in Cotton Manufacturing, and in Agricultural teaching. Four-year courses. Two and one-year courses in Agriculture and in Machine Shop Work. Faculty of 61 men; 738 students; 25 buildings; excellent equipment and laboratories for each department. On July 9, County Superintendents conduct entrance examinations at each county seat. For catalogue write

C. B. OWEN, Registrar.
West Raleigh, N. C.

YES, YES

I have resigned as manager of the Kentucky Horse and Mule Co., but have not gone out of business. If you want to buy a horse or mule, or hire one or have some hauling done, we have a stable at No. 114 North Second street. We have several good horses and mules on hand, and will have more pretty soon, of the right kind at the right price, and expect to carry a full supply as the season advances, and I thank my friends for the liberal patronage they have given me for the past twenty years, and hope to continue the same.

Our phone number is 801-J, so don't forget when you are in need of anything in our line to call, phone, or come around

F. T. MILLS & CO.

SCORCHERS AHEAD

Which a Good Water Cooler Will Do Much to Alleviate.

"20th Century" Bottle Coolers
ARE UNEXCELLED

Absolutely Sanitary, Economical and efficient. All styles and sizes at Lowest Prices. Also following Styles at $1.25 to $6.00.

GALVANIZED WATER COOLERS
ENAMELED ONE-PIECE WATER COOLERS
FIBROTTA INDURATED WATER COOLERS
FLEMISH STONE WATER COOLERS
BLUE FLEMISH WATER FILTERS
GEM AND BLIZZARD FREEZERS
THERMOS BOTTLES, CARAFES AND LUNCH KITS
OUTDOOR FLY TRAPS, KING FLY SWATTERS

And Make a Note to Look at McCRAY REFRIGERATOR

N. JACOBI HARDWARE CO.

10 and 12 South Front Street

22 and 32 Blank Cartridges for the 4th of July.

ODOR-O-NO

Prevents Excessive Perspiration

DELIGHTFUL for dainty women—Economical for women whose clothes have been faded and spoiled—Permanent relief for all women who suffer from excessive perspiration.

ODOR-O-NO

THE ANTI-DRESS SHIELD TOILET WATER

Keeps the armpits fresh, dry and natural. Eliminates excessive perspiration and its odor from any part of the body.

Absolutely harmless and guaranteed

Buy a bottle today—and Throw your dress shields away

25c and 50c

At any "live" dealer in toilet articles. If your particular dealer hasn't it, order direct giving his name to the

ODOR-O-NO CO.
Cincinnati, Ohio

ALBERT H. MARSH

Public Accountant and Auditor
AUGUSTA, GA.
Established 1903.
Bank Examinations, Auditing, Credit Examinations, etc. Installation of Simple and Efficient Accounting and Cost Systems.
Prominent Local References Given

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Mrs. W. A. Schrader is spending the summer with her parents at Decatur, Ill.

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Miss Callie Scott returned yesterday from a visit to her parents at Pollocksville.

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Mrs. C. J. Josenhans, of this city, is spending the summer with relatives in Detroit, Mich.

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Mrs. J. L. Burch returned yesterday from a visit of several days to relatives at Burgaw.

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Miss Connor Jones, of Kinston, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. J. D. Price, No. 115 Castle street.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McNeal and Mrs. Bradford, of Burgaw, were guests at The Orton yesterday

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Miss Mary Swain, of Bennettsville, S. C., is a guest of Mrs. James McDougall, No. 314 Walnut street.

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Miss Rebecca Townsend, of Wilmington, Del., is a guest of her brother, Mr. A. E. Townsend, No. 115 Castle street.

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Mr. C. P. Moore, of Bannerman's Bridge, is spending several days here with his daughter, Mrs. C. O. Westbrook, No. 611 Walnut street.

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Mrs. Silas Sheetz, of Atlanta, arrived yesterday and will be a guest for some time of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Craft, on Princess street.

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Miss Mattie Belle Evans, who has been the attractive guest of Mrs. Julian Taylor for several days, returned yesterday to her home at Savannah.

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On account of tomorrow being a legal holiday the public library will be closed all day. Patrons are requested to get their books today.

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Rev. Edward Wootten left yesterday for Saluda, N. C., where he will spend the remainder of the summer. Mrs. Wootten and the other members of the family have been there for sevl eral weeks.

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Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Kearney left yesterday for their home in Philadelphia, after a stay of two months in the city. Mr. Kearney was connected with the erection of the new Murchison Bank Building.

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Mrs. Julian Taylor, accompanied by her sister, Miss Lucia Nixon, of Rome, Ga., who has been her attractive guest for some time at Carolina Heights, left yesterday for Kanuga Lake, where they will spend the summer.

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Mrs. Horace R. Dowell and son, of Raleigh, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Holden at Winter Park. Mrs. Dowell, who is one of the best soprano singers in the State, will sing at the morning service Sunday at the First Baptist church.

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Friends of Mrs. C. W. Woolard, wife of Police Captain Woolard, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis at the James Walker Memorial Hospital, will be glad to know that she is recovering nicely and hopes soon to be entirely restored to health.

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Yesterday's Raleigh News and Observer: "Mrs. R. D. Hester left yesterday to join her husband in Wilmington——Mr. Gifford Barrus, of Wilmington, was in the city yesterday on a visit to his sister, Miss Blanche Barrus."

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Mrs. Eugene Philyaw has returned home from a pleasant visit of several months to relatives in Cincinnati, O.; Covington, Ky., and Richmond, Va. She attended the 25th wedding anniversary of her sister, Mrs. A. P. Rose, at Covington, Ky.

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Mr. A. W. Ek, secretary of the Imperial Mutual Life and Health Insurance Company, this city left yesterday for New York where he will take passage Saturday for his old home in Sweden. This will be his first trip back to his old home in 23 years and he will be away about ten weeks.

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Savannah News: "Mrs. James Menzies and the Misses Janet and Helen Menzies will leave Thursday evening for Wrightsville Beach, N. C., where they will spend the summer. Mrs. Menzies will return in September for a short time before removing finally to Wilmington, N. C., where they expect to live."

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Mr. W. D. Huhn, of Burgaw, who was operated on at the James Walker Memorial Hospital last week for a severe case of appendicitis, was able to be removed last evening to the residence of Dr. G. H. Croom, No. 417 South Front street. His friends will be glad to know that he is getting along nicely.

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The usual three concerts will be given at Carolina Beach on Sunday by Prof. W. R. H. Brown's orchestra. The hours are 11 A. M., 4 P. M. and 7 P. M., and the public is cordially invited. At the 7:30 P. M., concert, by request, Mr. Harold Page will sing a solo that will be much enjoyed.

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Mr. Herbert Shannon, of Boca Grand, Fla., is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Shannon, No. 312 North Third street. Mr. Shannon was formerly in the car accountant's office of the Atlantic Coast Line here, but is now chief auditor of the Charlotte Harbor & Northern Railroad in Florida, with headquarters at Boca Grand.

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Mr. Louis G Bissinger, an old Wilmington boy who has achieved large success in the West in the theatrical business, is at home to spend several weeks with relatives and friends and has been most cordially greeted. He is accompanied by his little son and for the present they are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John H Rehder, on Market street.

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Mrs. Georgia Croft and daughter, Miss Margaret George, left yesterday evening for the mountains of Western North Carolina where they will spend the Summer. They will go to Greensboro in the Fall where Mrs. Croft will make her home and Miss George will enter the State Normal and Industrial College. Hosts of ingly to give them up as residents. ingly to give them up a residents.

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Rev. W. G. Hall and family will leave today for Fayetteville, where they will visit friends and relatives before going to the mountains to spend some time. Mr. Hall has been given a vacation of 30 days by the congregation of Southside Baptist church, of which he is the popular pastor. In his absence his pulpit will be occupied by Rev. R. F. Hall, of Kerr. Mr. Hall recently suffered a nervous breakdown. His friends will hope that he will return greatly improved in health.

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Wilson, N. C., July 1.—This morning at 7:30 in the presence of a host of intimate friends gathered in the St Timothy's Episcopal church, the marriage vows were taken by Miss Susan Hargrave Sugg and Mr. Lawrence Majette. The officiating clergyman was Rev. I. H. Webber—Thompson. The maid of honor was Miss Minnie H. Sugg and Mr. Lucius Majette was the best man. Immediately following the ceremany the bridal couple were driven to the Atlantic Coast Line station where they started for a northern trip.

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WEDDING IN NEW JERSEY OF INTEREST IN WILMINGTO

Of interest to many friends in this city and elsewhere will be the following from the Journal, of Atlantic Highlands, N. J., of last week:

"A quiet home wedding with only the relatives and a few friends present will be solemnized in town on Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock.

"Miss Olive Ewing, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ewing, of Highland avenue, and Henry Hankins Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Virginius Hall, of Wilmington, N. C., will be united in marriage by the Rev. John Gilmore Addy, of Brooklyn, assisted by the Rev. J. B. Shaeffer, of the local Presbyterian church.

"The bride, who is an unusually handsome girl of the brunette type, will wear a wedding gown of white net and satin with a cap of net. She will carry bride roses.

"Miss Sue Ewing, a sister of the bride, will act as maid of honor. She will be gowned in pink charmeuse and will carry Killarney roses. The best man will be Frederick Trestrail, of Brooklyn, the fiance of the bridesmaid, and rumor has it that another wedding will occur in the Ewing household ere long. Mrs. Irving Suthphin will render the wedding march and Roland Leurich will give appropriate vocal selections.

"Mr. and Mrs. Hall will leave on the 1 o'clock boat for a trip on the Old Dominion Line to points of interest, returning to Washington, D. C., for the end of the honeymoon trip. The bride's going away dress will be of blue silk crepe and hat of corresponding color. After July 15th the young couple will be at home in Wilmington where the groom has a house in readiness."

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MISS HELEN PASCHAL BRIDE OF MR. RICHARD T. HOWARD

Sanford, N. C., July 2—Abeautiful wedding was solemnized Tuesday evening at 8.30 o'clock when Miss Helen Paschal became the bride of Mr. Richard T. Howard. The church was beautifully decorated with long leaf pine, ivey, powdered cedar and potted plants. The bride presented a pretty picture attired in white charmeuse en train with real lace, hand made rose buds and embroidered chiffon, with veil of tull and orange blossoms. She carried a brides boquet of roses with a shower of lillies of the valley.

Mrs. Charles R. Reid, the dame of honor, was attired in white charmenuse with pearls and lace trimmings and carried pink carnations and ferns. Miss Alma E. Flemming, of Hassell, N. C., was the maid of honor. The bridesmaids were Miss Swanna Peschal, sister of the bride, Miss Glenn Ross.

The best man was Mr. W. R. Howard, of Dunn, N. C., brother of the groom.

The groom, with his best man, entered from the vestry room and was met at the altar by the bride who had entered on the arm of her brother, Mr. R. F. Paschal, of Wake Forest. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. B. Willis, pastor of the Baptist church. The bride was preceded to the altar by little Miss Nannie Howard Knight, neice of the groom, bearing the wedding ring. The groomsmen were Messers R. E. Bobbit and I. P. Lasater. The ushers were Messrs. C. B. Womble and S. R. Hoyle.

Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Paschal, Misses Swanna and Mary Paschal, of Siler City, Mr. R. F. Paschal, of Wake Forest, Miss Alma Fleming, of Hassell, Mrs. J. H. Knight and Miss Nannie Howard Knight, of Rocky Mount. Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Howard and Master George Branch Howard, of Dunn, Miss Elizabeth Hicks, of Falson, and Miss Myrtle Dalrymple, of Jonesboro.

The bride i sthe attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Paschal, of Siler City, and has a host of friends. Mr. Howard is a prominent young business man of Sanford being vice president of the Howard Grocery Co. The bride and groom left on the North bound train for their bridal tour. On their return they will make their home in Sandford.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The receipts at the Wilmington postoffice for the past month were $12,132.80, an increase of several hundred dollars over the same month last year.

—A building permit was issued yesterday to James & James, Inc., for the erection of three cottages on Howard street, between Sixth and Seventh, at an estimated cost of $1,000.

—On account of opening new series of stock, the Mechanics' Home Association of which Mr. W. M. Cumming is secretary, will be open tomorrow, Saturday, as usual.

—Giving as their reason that they did not like Wrightsville Beach, two members of Mr. Don Richardson's orchestra resigned their positions and left. Their places have been filled by local musicians.

—Aprominent wholesale merchant, of this city, returned yesterday from a trip through Bladen, Robeson and Pender counties. He states that the condition of the crops is excellent and the prospects for a large yield is most promising. With the showers yesterday tfaernoon, the condition of the crops will be greatly improved.

—Maj. H. W. Stickle, Engineer in charge of the Wilmington district, was the host yesterday to the members of the Wilmington Checker Club on an enjoyable outing up the Cape Fear river, They visited the lock and dam at King's Bluff and were much pleased with the splendid work that is being done there by the United States government.

JULY 4th at LUMINA
Why not spend the day at the South's most famous Pavilion? Music, Dancing, surf bathing, athletic contests, exhibition dancing, moving pictures. —Advertisement.

Wrightsville Beach

Messrs. Geo. R. Applewhite and John Pridgen are summering at the "Portable City," near Lumina.

Capt. John H. Sharp, formerly treasurer of the Seaboard Air Line Railway, now of Atlanta, is a guest at the Dunn cottage.

Mr. Morgan B. Spier, general manager of the Southern Bell Telephone Co., with headquarters at Charlotte, is spending a few days at the Seashore Hotel.

Among the recent arrivals at the Dunn cottage are Mr. and Mrs. Rainey, Atlanta; Mrs. Pegram Williams, Miss Sadie Williams, Miss Mary Webster Williams, Miss Pegram Williams, Augusta, Ga.

The many Georgia visitors at Lumina during the past two days have been very enthusiastic over the many improvements since last season, and count the motion picture feature one of the greater of the new innovations of the season.

Preparations are being made by the hotels and cottages on the beach for a large number of visitors for the week-end. Several hundred people are expected to arrive today and tomorrow. There are already many guests at all the hotels as well as at the cottages.

Tonight the Lumina motion picture screen will display what is undoubtedly one of the greatest feature dramatic productions of the present year, a mammoth three-reel Universal photo-drama, "At the Hour of Dawn." This is one of the most spectacular and thrilling of all the recent releases of the Universal Feature players, and is a dramatization of one of the biggest stories of the year. It abounds with thrilling and spectacular situations and climaxes, and the tangled plot is worked out with the smoothness that only an expert could handle. It is in three reels—three thousand feet of film sensations, the like of which have not been seen in many days. It was one of the most expensively staged pictures the Universal people have ever produced, and cost up into the hundreds of thousands of dollars, and is produced by a galaxy of screen stars that are seldom seen in a single picture.

THE BARCAROLLE WALTZ AT LUMINA THIS EVENING.

Those who enjoy witnessing artistic and classical dancing should certainly not miss the exhibition dancing at Lumina tonight when Miss Chandler and Mr. West will present the Barcarolle waltz. The Barcarolle waltz has never been presented here before. It was originated by Mr. West and is supposed to represent the mythical story about a young peasant girl of ancient Greece and a young Grecian prince. It is danced to the music of the Barcarolle from the Tales of Hoffman.

In this exhibition the public will have the opportunity of seeing Miss Chandler in toe dancing. Miss Chandler is a very skilful toe dancer, having been a solo dancer at the Metropolitan Opera House in New York for four seasons. She introduces a great deal of this style of dancing in the Barcarolle waltz. To enable her to do this a large canvass will be spread upon the floor on which the dance will be executed.

The Barcarolle waltz was first presented by Mr. West, assisted by Mlle. Dupree, in Paris in 1912. The dance delighted large audiences and had a run of several months in Paris. He has also presented the dance in the larger cities in this country with great success. Mr. West was the first to adapt the modern dances to classical music.

The story that the Barcarolle waltz interprets is as follows: A young Greek peasant girl of the first century and a Greek Prince are in love with each other. On account of the difference in rank she avoids him as much as possible. At the time the dance starts she is dancing in the woods where the prince surprises her and together they dance. Suddenly she breaks from him, dancing lightly away, only to come back and dance with him again. This is repeated several times, he standing with outstretched hands pleading, till at last she comes to him from across the fields and leaps into his arms. The Goddess Diana who is watching them grows angry and waving her wand over the girl draws the spirit of life from her and she gently dies in the arms of the prince. Apollo taking compassion on the prince pierces his heart with an arrow, so that he sinks over the prostrate form of his sweetheart.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. J. A. Byrd, of Eastover, S. C., was a guest at the Orton yesterday.

Mr. E. G. Goodman, of Lanvale, was in the city on business yesterday.

—Mr. Nixon Ottway, of Town Creek, was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

—Mr. A. W. Peace, of the Fourth National Bank of Fayetteville, was a guest at the Orton yesterday.

—Mr. J. N. Jacobs, an old Wilmington boy, who has a host of friends here, is spending a few days in the city and at the beach.

—Returning home from the convention of the State bar Association, Judge Oliver H. Allen was here yesterday, a guest at the Orton.

—Dr. J. H. Honnet, who has been spending several weeks abroad, has returned to the city and has been cordially greeted by a host of friends.

Mr. J. W. Conway, who lives in South Carolina, has been called to this city on account of the serious illness of his father, Mr. E. D. Conway, No. 719 Chesnut street.

—Mr. R. C. Banks, with Messrs. Alex. Sprunt & Son, at Fayetteville, N. C., arrived yesterday to spend a vacation of some days with friends and relatives in Wilmington.

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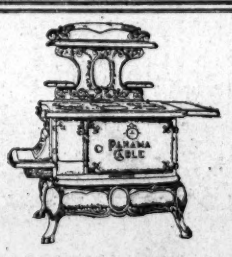

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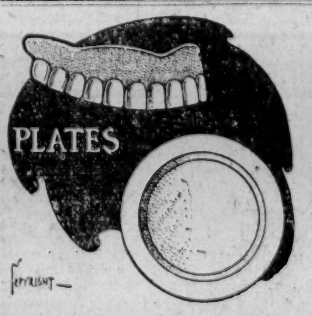

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TAR HEEL WRITES OF CHAT WITH GEN. VILLA

In Letter to Mr. R. D. Dickson of Bladen County.

J. B. Rogers, Now and Several Years in Mexico, Comments on Conditions There in Intimate and Interesting Manner.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Council, N. C., July 2.—Describing a personal interview with General Villa, and containing comments on the Mexican situation in general, as seen by an American who has lived there for several years, a letter just received by Mr. R. D. Dickson, owner and manager of the Clover Leaf Farm, from his friend, Mr. J. B. Rogers, will doubtless prove of interest to the readers of The Star.

Mr. Rogers has been general manager for the Hacienda San Pedro Company, a big ranch or trucking concern, located at Isasi, in the State of Tamaulipas, which is right in the heart of Mexico, not a great distance from Tampico. He is a man in middle life, educated and refined, and has been there for about three years. As the letter contains nothing especially personal, Mr. Dickson thinks Mr. Rogers would have no objection to the publication of it, and therefore consented that The Star may have the use of the letter.

Face to Face With Villa.

"I met the great Villa a few weeks ago at Saltillo," writes Mr. Rogers. "He is the 'noblest Roman of them all,' and I was greatly impressed by him; especially his frankness, his generosity and his liking for 'los gringos' were pleasing. He is a military genius and an undiplomatic diplomat. That is, he is a diplomat without trying to be and without knowing that he is.

"He gave me one of his dollars. It is silver, with the usual Mexican stamp except that under the eagle is 'Muerta Huerta,' (death to Huerta). I suggested to the general that we put 'In God We Trust' on our dollars. He replied: 'It's a good motto. When I get Huerta, I'm going to put "In God and the Estados Unidos We Trust." But I am after Huerta, now.'

"For more than a year now I've been in rebel territory. All Americans have left our section but myself and one good neighbor ten miles away, Mr. Graham. And he has the advantage of me in case of international trouble, because he has a Mexican family—a wife and five children. I suppose this would restrain them, some—I mean our friends, the enemy—in case of intervention. But I'm hoping that will not come. The burden is too great. Uncle Sam would better say to all his nephews, 'Come out; I'll pay you double the value of your property' ****

"But this question is too big, unless we were together; we can't settle it by correspondence. I have said this much to let you know that I am one American living in Mexico who is willing to concede that the President, his cabinet and his hundreds or more advisers on the question know nearly as much about this great question as I do. A man in the bottom of a well hasn't a very broad horizon."

Mules Killed by Tigers.

Turning to the interests nearer his heart, Mr. Rogers continues: "Two tigers killed one of our work mules a few weeks ago. They must have been monsters. I could not cover one of their tracks with my outspread hand. And the deer are absolutely taking my watermelons. They come in at night and break the melons faster than they can ripen."

"My experiences have been interesting and helpful," says Mr. Rogers, in conclusion. "Among other things they have given me an independence and self-reliance that I needed. But I am frank to say that there seems to me little hope of peace and prosperity in Mexico, and if I had a right good offer, I believe I'd 'look back.'"

In the first paragraphs of his letter, Mr. Rogers writes of the weather, crop conditions and operations on the ranch with which he is connected. He says:

Sold $10,000 Worth of Onions.

"I am sorry the drought is hitting you. Texas evidently got your portion of the rain; or Mexico and Texas divided your share between them. Reports are that Texas has never before had so much rain during any spring.

(The letter was written at Portland, Texas, June 23).

"In Mexico our spring rains began fully a month ahead of time, and do not now seem to realize that it's time to quit. We raised our corn crop without irrigation—unprecedented—and now we are needing dry weather to harvest it. We have 600 acres of very fine corn. And it is a good price, too. If the rebels do not take it, or impose very heavy tax on it—war tax—we'll make some money.

"I have just succeeded in disposing of a part of our onion crop that netted us a little more than $10,000. We were two months late on account of lack of transporation facilities. But when the rebels captured Monterey, I succeeded by persistent effort in getting out this much—leaving 100 acres in the ground to rot."

FIRST VISIT TO KINSTON SINCE THE CIVIL WAR

Dr. Russell Conwell, Famous Lecturer, Views Old Battle Scene

(Special Star Correspondence)

Kinston, N. C., June 2.—Dr. Russell H. Conwell, a lecturer of national fame, delivered his great discourse on "Acres of Diamonds" here this week. Since Dr. Conwell is reputed to have taken in more than $2,000,000 by the lecture, the title seems appropriate. Dr. Conwell yesterday went to a point about a mile south of Kinston and looked over a field where half a century ago he was a participant in one of the bloodiest battles of the Civil War in this section.

"It brings back to me faces of other times, and sorrow", he said. Two men of the company which he commanded as a captain of the federal army were killed there, just beyond Neuse river, Nearby more than a dozen men of another regiment fell, and Captain Conwell helped carry the dead off after the Federals had captured the bridge which led into Kinston.

Mr. Conwell was surprised to find Kinston's population increased tenfold. It was his first trip here since the war. He was a captain in the Forty-sixth Massachusetts infantry, and afterwards held a similar rank in the artillery. Even then a lecturer, he went north several times for the government to aid in the enlisting of men. Dr. Conwell was stationed at New Bern and Washington, and has been honized in those places the past week. It was just as warm a reception, but far more egreeable, as the Massachusetts man received in 64, he declares.

Dance—Dance—Dance—Music all day on the Fourth by Brown's Orchestra at Carolina Beach.—Advertisement.

ARGENTINA SENDS US CORN

Two Steamers With Cargoes Coming To This Port—Cape Fear Light

(Special Star Correspondence)

Southport, N. C., July 2 —There has been talk for some weeks, here, about the removal of the Cape Fear Light house from its present location on the point of Cape Fear, to near the site of the Bald Head Light, at the opposite end of Smith's Island, the distance between these lights being about three miles. The reason for the removal is the encroachment of the ocean on the Cape Fear point. The Cape Fear Life Saving Station has had to be moved twice from the Cape Fear point, and while the light house at present appears far from the sea's perils, the steady cutting away of the shore, makes it a question of time when the waves shall undermine the light nouse where it now stands.

With the change, it is said that the old Bald head light would be cut down to make the lower portion a storage building. The change, would not effect the value of the light, in its bearing as a guard for the Frying Pan Shoals, as it is a first class light, As the government owns plenty of land around the Bald Head light, there would be no need of buying more land. The appropriation necessary for removal is said to be $100,000.

From Ft. Caswell to Guilford

Tomorrow, Friday, a special train will leave here about 3 P. M. carrying two companies of the Coast Artillery from Fort Caswell to the Guilford Battle Ground near Greensboro. These companies will be under Capt. E. L. Gilmer, and will take part in the customary Fourth of July exercises. which are held each year.

A new firm has taken the store and dry goods stock of J. J. Loughlin, and will conduct the business. Two young men will comprise the firm, George H. Ruark and Fred Smith, who for years have been with H. W. Hood, the well known dry goods merchant. Messrs. Ruark and Smith have been in a position to thoroughly learn the business, and should make a success in their enterprise, which their friends hope they will.

There will be no celebration here, on Saturday, the Fourth, no local plans for special observance being made.

The run of menhaden is going to the northward, during the past week, the catch off Beaufort being heavy. The reports from the Carolina Coast Products Company's plant are, that the company has been quite successful in its spring catch, having made a big lot of "scrap", the oil not being much, as it never is in the early catch, as it is in the fall catch, when the fish are fat.

Cargoes of Corn from Argentia

A matter of considerable interest is the coming to this port, of two cargoes of corn from the Argentine. The steamers coming are reported as large ones, 3300 to 3500 tons. The mercantile effect of this corn upon this section, will be awaited with a good deal of curiosity.

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ARCHDUKE FRANCIS FERDINAND and WIFE, VICTIMS of ASSASSINATION, and CHILDREN.

Vienna, July 1.—In the 24 years he spent preparing himself for the throne the late Archduke Francis Ferdinand, who was 50 years old at the time of his assassination and that of his wife, impressed the cabinet of the aged emperor and the people of the dual monarchy with a sense of his intellectual power, soldierly qualities and ability to emulate his royal uncle in hunting feats. There was no question in the empire as to his vigor and energy. Francis Joseph, it was reported recently, found fault with the eagerness with which the heir projected himself into affairs of State and expressed regret that his nephew did not restrain himself until it was his turn to mount the throne. This attitude on Francis Ferdinand's part caused friction with his uncle. Francis Ferdinand's military training was thorough in the extreme. He spent at least 20 years in the army before he was raised to the rank of general. His reforms in the army caused widespread comment in Europe. Although the nobility did not think well of the pastime, the people were pleased when he took delight in running locomotives. He obtained an engineer's certificate, so proficient did he become.

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Impressions Received At Press Convention

Among the members of the North Carolina Press Association, few if any, are more popular than Mr. Archibald Johnson, of Thomasville "the Blockade Preacher", as his brethren of the press familiarly refer to him, editor of Charity and Children, which is the organ of the Baptist Orphanage and a semi-religious newspaper with a circulation of 'steen thousand, going into every nook and corner in the State, from Southport to Jefferson. Few papers in the State are more frequently quoted than Charity and Children. From the current issue of that paper, the following editorial is taken:

The program, which was prepared by President Poe of the Progressive Farmer was the best we have ever had. Subjects of timely value were discussed, and the speakers were men of the first order of ability.

Perhaps the most notable and important speech that was made was that by Attorney General Bickett on the proposed Constitutional Amendments. It was not only a timely subject, but it was discussed in masterly fashion by a man thoroughly familiar with his theme. A great deal of light was poured upon a topic that is engaging the public interest generally.

Another very helpful deliverance was that by Mr. Bion Butler of Raeford, who told us in a practical way about our State and in what respects it offers unusual opportunities for development. Mr. Butler is not "native and to the manner born" but he knows North Carolina better than anybody else in the association, and is enthusiastic as to her future. The brethren of the press were delighted to hear Mr. Butler.

Of course Norman Hapgood of Harpers Weekly made a deep impression upon the body. He is easily one of the foremost journalists in the United States; and his address was pleasing, strong and stimulating.

The social pleasure of the association was especially noteworthy. Wilmington is known far and wide for her gentle courtesy, and while she is discriminating in her hospitality, to those who are worthy the people of our city by the sea entertain with an easy grace that is not surpassed by any city in the State or out of it. Editor Cowan of the Dispatch, and one of the brightest members of the association, was the spokesman for Wilmington and the brethren are greatly indebted to him and to the fine gentlemen who loyally supported him in their unselfish and thoughtful care of the strangers.

The Tidewater Power Co. Capt. John W. Harper of the Steamer Wilmington and the citizens generally made the days of our stay memorable.

The wonderful development of the city and section was the occasion of surprise and delight. Wilmington is growing fast, and its future is radiant. The route from the city to the beach is becoming an attractive residence section.

The tone of the session was decidedly "progressive". There was unstinted praise for the Wilson administration and although the body is nonpartisan, nobody was offended for men of all parties knew that every word spoken in behalf of President Wilson was deserved.

Southport entertained the Association for dinner Friday and convinced the editors that this is one of the finest natural harbors on the Atlantic coast, and that the government ought by all means to spend enough money on it to make it a rate-basing port. This would settle the rate problem and put North Carolina in the same class with Virginia in deep water advantages. The good ladies of Southport took a large share in the entertainment of the visitors.

On our way up the river we touched at the Quarantine station, which is one of the finest in the country. The hospitals are built in the middle of the river and drinking water is obtained by wells 300 feet deep driven in the bed of the river.

The city of Wilmington is going forward with giant strides. Its volume of business, as well as its population, is steadily increasing, and sky scrapers are looming up on the principal streets. It is a fine town filled with progressive and generous people.

Mr. Clarence H. Poe, the very popular and efficient President of the association was succeeded by Hon. W. C. Hammer another popular and able member. Mr. John B. Sherill, the beloved secretary who smilingly and patiently answers all questions, never has a rival for the place. He is a golden hearted gentleman whom all his brethren delight to honor.

Chaflin Quits Trust After Its Failure

JOHN CLAFLIN

New York, July 2.—After the H. B. Claflin company, the great wholesale dry goods concern, which is also a holding company for retail stores in various parts of the country outside of New York City, had been put in the hands of receivers as the result of its inability to meet maturing notes of its subsidiaries bearing its indorsement, John Claflin, president, resigned and was succeeded by Cornelius N. Bliss, Jr.

SURROUNDINGS PLEASANT

This paragraph is clipped from a leading editorial in the Statesville Landmark, edited by Mr. R. R. Clark and the best all around local newspaper in the weekly and semi-weekly class in the State, with possibly one or two exceptions:

"The meeting of the State Press Association at Wrightsville Beach last week was one of the best, if not the best, the association has ever held, and the surroundings comfortable, convenient and pleasant. The hospitality of the Wilmington people was unstinted and the newspaper men and others of that city were unsparing in their efforts to give the visitors a good time."

WHAT WILMINGTON LACKS

The following paragraph is taken from a lengthy editorial on the occasion of the Press Convention, from the Monroe Journal of which Mr. R. E. Beasley is editor:

"Wilmington and its environment has become one of the most delightful localities in North Carolina. This writer has known Wilmington since the days when the little niggers and billie goats did not hesitate to block the traffic of the old horse car line that served the city, and when the cows and the pine rooters promenaded at will upon the public streets. Though not old, we remember well when there was scarcely a house from Ninth street to Wrightsville, when there was not a foot of improved road in the county except the shell road to the sound, and when the streets were half knee deep in sand, except a few of those in the business section, which were paved with rough cobble stones. All that is gone. Fine streets and sidewalks are supplemented by fine roads all over the county, and the most beautiful suburbs have taken the place of barren fields of wire grass and scrub oaks. The possibilities of the city and section are past imagining, and if the whole population would live up to the enthusiasm, unanimity and enterprise of the newspaper boys who did the honors of the occasion, these ideals would be rapidly realized. Wilmington ought to be the biggest, cleanest, and in every way the best city in North Carolina. A larger vision, a more unanimity of spirit, and a little more public enterprise are all that are lacking."

BEFORE THE RECORDER.

Grady Lee Required to Pay Cost for Violating Prohibition Law.

Prayer for judgment was continued for 12 months by the Recorder yesterday in a case against Grady Lee, colored, charged with violating the prohibition law. He was required to pay the costs. The alleged offense occurred several weeks ago. Since that time the negro has apparently reformed and is now engaged at a steady job of cleaning fish. He promised to stock at it, but if he should again be found guilty of selling whiskey, the Recorder told him, he will have to go to the roads. E. A. Carter was foolish enough to ride a bicycle around at night without a light. He paid $5 and the costs for the act.

The Recorder continued until July 9th the following cases for alleged violation of the sanitary ordinances: Messrs. L. W. Moore, J. G. Wright & Son, F. A. Lord and H. F. Wilder. Cases against Walter Taft and Thos. Lawson on the same charge were also continued.

The Fourth at Lake Waccamaw.

At Lake Waccamaw tomorrow there will be the usual Fourth of July foregathering of the people for miles around with music, dancing, basket dinner and other features which have long made these outings at "The Lake" famous. The usual low Fourth of July rates on the Atlantic Coast Line will apply from all points.

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Culberson Leads Fight For New Trust Bills

U.S. SENATOR CHAS. A. CULBERSON

Washington June 27.—Senator Charles A. Culberson as chairman of the judiciary committee of the Senate, holds an important position in regard to the anti-trust bills which were passed by the House and are now before the Senate. He has been active in all the new legislation that the Wilson administration has put through.

JULY 4th at LUMINA

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SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Lesson XI.—Second Quarter, For June 14, 1914.

THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES.

Text of the Lesson, Luke xviii, 9-14; xix, 1-10—Memory Verses, 19, 10—Golden Text, Mark ii, 17—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

Perhaps there are no people more difficult to deal with or to live with than those who, like the Pharisees, pride themselves upon their own righteousness, which in the sight of God is only as filthy rags (Isa. lxiv, 6) and can in no case entitle one to enter the kingdom (Matt. v, 20). The righteousness which is required by God must be absolutely perfect, an unbroken law, for "whosoever shall keep the whole law and yet offend in one point he is guilty of all" (Jas. ii, 10). The law is so holy and righteous that no sinful man can keep it, and it was never intended to give life, but to prove our guilt, shut our mouths and lead us to Christ, who is God's perfect righteousness and the end of the law for righteousness to every one that believeth.

There is no Saviour or salvation for a righteous man in the Bible—that is, for such as think themselves righteous—but only for sinners.

In connection with the murmuring of the Pharisees when our Lord called Matthew or Levi, the publican, and Levi made Him a feast in his own house, at which a great company of publicans and others were present, our Lord said: "They that are whole need not a physician, but they that are sick. I came not to call the righteous, but sinners, to repentance" (Luke v, 31, 32).

On another occasion He said to the chief priests and elders, "Verily I say unto you that the publicans and the harlots go into the kingdom of God before you" (Matt. xxi, 23, 31). To this day there are churchgoers and church members who, "being ignorant of God's righteousness and going about to establish their own righteousness, have not submitted themselves unto the righteousness of God" (Rom. x, 3).

It is indeed a fearful thing to be satisfied with oneself and have no conviction of sin. In the first part of our lesson today the Pharisee did not pray to God, did not ask God for anything, did not seem to need anything, but prayed with himself and told God what a good man he was and how much good he did and how thankful he was that he was not a bad man nor even like that publican. Truly he was well satisfied with his righteous self. The publican had no goodness to prove his righteousness, nothing good to say of himself, but he did have a consciousness of his own sinfulness, and from his heart he said, "God be merciful to me, a sinner." In the margin of the revised version it is, "God be propitiated to me, the sinner." Weymouth has it, "O God, be reconciled to me, sinner that I am." The Lord Jesus Christ, who reads all hearts, the only Saviour of sinners, the only Judge of all men, said that the publican went to his home justified.

I like the definition of justification which I learned in Sunday school when I was a boy, and, if I remember correctly, it read thus: "Justification is an act of God's free grace, wherein He pardoneth all our sins and accepteth us as righteous in His sight only for the righteousness of Christ, imputed unto us and received by faith alone."

In the second part of our lesson we have a rich publican who had a desire to see Jesus, and, though he did not seem to have the same conviction of sin as the poor publican, he, too, was welcomed and saved. He was a prominent man, chief among the publicans. He was not prominent as to his physical appearance, for he was little of stature. He was not what one might call dignified, for he ran and climbed up into a tree. His thought evidently was to see without being seen. How surprised beyond measure he must have been to see Jesus look up and to hear Him call him by name and to hear Him say, "Make haste and come down, for today I must abide at thy house" (verse 5).

Was this something exceeding abundantly above all that Zaccheus had ever thought to come his way, or was it the Saviour's recognition of a desire which He had actually seen in the heart of this man? (Eph. iii, 20; Ezek. xi, 5; Ps. cxiv, 19.) I cannot tell, but I do know that the "handfuls of purpose" which the Lord drops for those who seek Him and for those who seek to serve Him are truly wonderful (Ruth ii, 15, 16).

We do not wonder that Zaccheus made haste and came down and received Him joyfully (verse 6). Any one but a Pharisee would if he only understood what it meant. According to John i, 12, Zaccheus thus became a child of God and according to I John ii, 12, had there and then the forgiveness of his sins—freely justified, as was the other publican. There is only one salvation and one way of salvation for rich or poor. It was foreshadowed in the atonement money of Israel, concerning which it was commanded, "The rich shall not give more and the poor shall not give less than half a shekel" (Ex. xxx, 11-15). That which Zaccheus said he did in verse 8 was part of the evidence that he had become a child of God, for, while no works of ours can obtain or help to obtain salvation, the good works must follow as a result (Eph. ii, 10; Tit. iii, 8). Weymouth translates: "Here and now I give. * * * I pledge myself to repay to him four times the amount."

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Sack Race . . . . . (110 lbs. and over)
Girls' Flag Race . . . . (Under 12 years)
Girls' Flag Race . . . . (12 years and over)
Potato Race . . . . . (Under 110 lbs.)
Potato Race . . . . . (110 lbs. and over)
Swimming Race . . . . . (Under 110 lbs.)
Swimming Race . . . . (110 lbs. and over)
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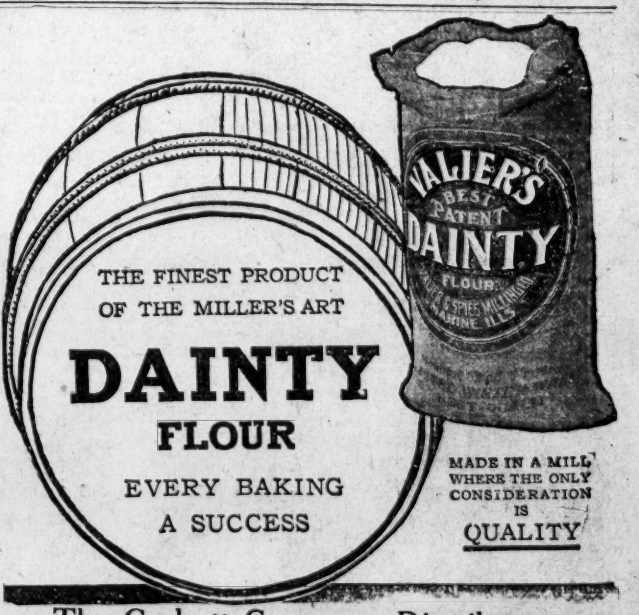

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

SHARP DECLINE IN COTTON

Prices Make New Low Ground for the Movement—Market Opened Barely Steady

New York, July 2.—There was a further sharp decline in the cotton market today with prices making new low ground for the movement. October contracts for instance sold at 12.27, or $3.95 per bale under the high record established in June 1st. There seemed to be some trade buying on a scale down as well as realizing by recent sellers for short account, but the talk around the ring suggested much more bearish sentiment and the close was easy at a net decline of 15 to 22 points.

The market opened barely steady at a decline of 4 to 8 points in sympathy with easy cables. Reports that rains had fallen in the Central belt were considered responsible for much of the selling abroad and appeared to be one of the most important factors around the local ring. After showing a net of about 11 to 14 points the market rallied 4 or 5 points from the lowest. The failure of the official forecasts to indicate further general showers or rains in droughty sections probably helped the slight improvement, but hte market weakened again during the afternoon on reports that it was raining in Arkansas, South Carolina and Alabama. Stop orders were uncovered as prices broke below the low level of last week and the close was at practically the lowest of the day.

Cotton futures closed easy.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	12.70	12.70	12.58	12.57
Aug	12.68	12.68	12.51	12.52
Oct	12.45	12.45	12.27	12.28
Dec	12.54	12.55	12.39	12.39
Jan	12.46	12.46	12.30	12.30
Mar	12.48	12.48	12.32	12.34

Spot cotton, quiet Middling uplands, 13.25; middling gulf, 13.50; sales, none.

The Port Movement.

New Orleans—Middling, 13 9-16; receipts, 329; sales, 570; stock, 78,641.

Galveston—Middling, 13⅝; receipts, 1,267; exports, 919; sales, 776; stock, 79,760.

Mobile—Middling, 13½; stock, 9,396.

Savannah—Middling, 13⅝; receipts, 268; stock, 17,569.

Charleston—Middling, nominal; receipts, 19; exports, 210; stock, 1,619.

Wilmington — Nominal; exports, 360; stock, 10,915.

Norfolk—Middling, 13⅜; receipts, 107; exports, 490; sales, 19; stock, 18,775.

Baltimore—Middling, 13⅜; stock, 2,463.

Boston—Middling, 13.25; exports, 349; stock, 9,699.

Philadelphia—Middling, 13.50; stock, 1,825.

New York—Middling, 13.25; exports, 3,505; stock, 114,489.

Minor Ports—Receipts, 1,517; exports, 1,887; stock, 4,413.

Total today—Receipts, 3,577; exports, 7,360; stock, 349,468.

Total for week—Receipts, 29,745; exports, 74,179.

Total for season—Receipts, 16,337,708; exports, 8,759,139.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Middling, 13⅝; receipts, 248; shipments, 2,653; sales, 71; stock, 45,679.

Memphis—Middling, 13¾; receipts, 1,304; shipments, 494; stock, 22,819.

Augusta—Middling, 14⅛; receipts, 130; shipments, 29; stock, 15,329.

St. Louis—Middling, 13⅝; receipts, 70; shipments, 427; stock, 17,007.

Cincinnati—Receipts, 512; shipments, 57; stock, 14,068.

Little Rock—Middling, 13¼; receipts, 25; shipments, 579; stock, 16,650.

Total today—Receipts, 2,319; shipments, 4,539; stock, 131,509.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, July 3.—Spot, easier; good middling, 8.05; middling, 7.85; low middling, 7.65. Sales, 7,000; speculation and export, 300. Receipts, 14,000.

Futures, quiet and steady. July, 7.17½; July-August, 7.17½; September-October, 6.80; December-January, 6.62½; February-March, 6.63; April-May, 6.64.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, July 2.—Cotton goods markets were quiet but steady today. Raw silk shipments to this country from Yokohama for the season ending June 30th were 143,000 bales, 14,000 bales larger than ever before. Raw silk was slightly easier. Jobbers reported a quiet trade.

IDLE DRIFT IN STOCK MARKET

Approaching Holidays Responsible for Slack Prices on Market. Small Transactions.

New York, July 2.—The approaching holidays doubtless accounted for the idle drift of prices on the stock exchange today. Total transactions were not much above recent low records.

Amalgamated Copper was the most conspicuous issue, rising a full point. New Haven stood out because of its new low record, which was reported almost simultaneously with a visit to the White House of J. P. Morgan, whose firm for many years, acted as the road's fiscal agents.

Wall street was interested in reports that President Wilson intends to confer with various persons prominent in finance and was disposed to draw favorable influences therefrom. Receivership for Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton failed to cause the slightest ripple, its effect apparently having been fully discounted.

The money market was again unaffected by the enormous mid-year overturn. The Bank of France showed an increase of more than $36,000,000 in discounts and advances, with increased gold holdings of $16,000,000. The German bank lost about $16,000,000 gold, twice that much cash and increased loans and discounts by $118,000,000. The statement of the Bank of England was comparatively featureless.

In the general bond list yesterday's irregularity continued. A few of the Rock Island issues were strong, while Missouri Pacific convertible 5s broke 1 1-2 to 60, a new low record. Total sales, par value, were $1,483,000. Panama 3s advanced 1 1-2 on call. Other government issues were unchanged.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

Amalgamated Copper	69¾
American Agricultural	54½
American Can	26½
American Car and Foundry	51¼
American Cities, pfd	61⅜
American Cotton Oil	40¼
American Smelting	62⅜
American Snuff	100
American Sugar	106¼
American Tel. and Tel	120⅝
American Tobacco	220
Atchison	98⅝
Atlantic Coast Line	120
Baltimore and Ohio	90
Canadian Pacific	193¾
Central Leather	35½
Chesapeake and Ohio	51
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	90
Erie	28½
General Electric	148
Great Northern, pfd	122⅝
Illinois Central	112⅜
Interborough-Met., pfd	62¼
Kansas City Southern	27¼
Lehigh Valley	135½
Louisville and Nashville	138
Liggett and Myers	212
Lorillard Co	168¼
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	16⅜
Missouri Pacific	17¼
Mexican Petroleum	58⅝
New York Central	89¼
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	64¾
Norfolk and Western	105
Northern Pacific	110
Pennsylvania	111
Reading	163⅝
Rep. Iron and Steel	23
Rep. Iron and Steel, pfd	85
Rock Island Co	7¾
Rock Island Co., pfd	27⅝
Seaboard Air Line	19
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	54½
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	24½
Southern Pacific	96⅞
Southern Railway	24⅝
Southern Railway, pfd	80
Tennessee Copper	33⅛
Texas Co	142¼
Texas and Pacific	15
Union Pacific	154⅝
United States Steel	61⅛
United States Steel, pfd	109⅛
Utah Copper	58¼
Virginia-Caro. Chem	28⅜
Western Union	58

NAVAL STORES.

Savannah, July 2.—Turpentine, firm at 46@46¼; sales, 6.02; receipts, 9.41; shipments, 7.68; stocks, 16,864.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 445; receipts, 2,769; shipments, 695; stocks, 106,852. Quote: A, B, 3.70; C, D, E, F, G, H, I, 4.05; K, 4.45 @4.55; M, 4.85@5.30; N, 6.00; W G, 6.25; W W, 6.50.

DECIDED ADVANCE IN WHEAT

Assertions That Black Rust Had Been Discovered at Wilmot, S. D., Chief Cause.

Chicago, July 2.—Assertions that black rust had been discovered at Wilmot, S. D., formed the chief cause for a decided advance today in the price of wheat. The market closed firm 1 to 1 1-4c net higher. Corn finished precisely the same as last night; oats up 1-4 to 3-8c, and provisions with a gain of 5 to 20c.

Futures closed:

Wheat—July, 79⅞; September, 79.
Corn—July, 68⅝; September, 65¼.
Oats—July, 36⅝; September, 35⅜.
Pork—July, 21.85; September, 20.30.
Lard—July, 10.05; September, 10.20.
Ribs—July, 11.70; September, 11.70.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2, red, 80½@81; No. 2, hard, 80½@81; No. 2, Northern, 87@89; No. 2, Spring, 87@89.
Corn—No 2, yellow, 68¾@69¾.
Oats—No. 2, not quoted; standard, 37¼@37¾.

MARINE.

Arrived.

Str. Navahoe, Packer, Georgetown, C. J. Becker, agent.

Cleared.

Str. Kyleakin (Br.), 1,976 tons, Campbell, Gulfport, Miss., Henry Whyte.
Str. Cameron (Br.), 1,929 tons, Easton, Havana, Cuba, Heide & Co.

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List of Vessels in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.

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Str. Zijldijk (Dutch), 2,589 tons, Rynink, Heide and Co.
Str. George Pyman, (Br.) 2,508 tons, Hill, Heide and Co.

Schooners.

Schr. A. B. Sherman Brown, 510 tons, Maffitt & Wood.
Schr. Phillips M. Brooks, Saunders, 243 tons, Maffitt & Wood.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, July 2.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Steady, 45½.
ROSIN—Steady, 3.80.
TAR—Firm, at $2.25 per barrel; in casks, 10c. per gallon.
CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm, 2.50 per barrel for hard; 3.50 per barrel for dip; 3.50 per barrel for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits 38¾; rosin, 3.80; tar, 2.25; crude turpentine, 3.00, 3.00, 2.00.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	13
Rosin	36
Tar	6
Crude Turpentine	12

Receipts same day last year — Spirits turpentine, 24 casks; rosin, 80 barrels; tar, 56 barrels; crude turpentine, (—) barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Spot, (—); middling, nominal; last year, nominal.

Receipts, (—); same day last year, 16 bales.

Total receipts since September 1st, 398,854 bales.

Total receipts same day last year, 317,210 bales.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at This Port Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., July 2.

Atlantic Coast Line—3 casks spirits turpentine; 6 barrels tar; 12 barrels crude turpentine.

Schr. Mary Lee—12 casks spirits turpentine; 36 barrels rosin.

Total—15 casks spirits turpentine; 36 barrels rosin; 6 barrels tar; 12 barrels crude turpentine.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

Reported by Rodgers, Flummer & Co., Inc.

Petersburg, Va., May 20.—Spanish—Farmers' Spanish, steady, $1.35 per bushel.

Virginias—Fancy Jumbo, 4½c. to 4⅝c. per bushel. Fancy hand-picked, 4½c. to 4⅝c. per lb. Extra prime, 4⅜c. to 4½c. per lb. Prime, 4c. to 4¼c. per lb. Shelling stock, 3¾c. to 4c. per lb.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, N. C., June 27.—North Carolina Peanuts: Market, steady; receipts, light; fancy hand picked, 90c.; No. 1, machine picked, 85c. Fancy hand-picked, Virginias—Steady. Fancy hand-picked, $1.00; No. 1, machine picked, 95c. per bushel.

Spanish—Steady, $1.25 per bushel.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, June 27, 1914.)

CORN—$2.00 to $2.05 per sack.
POTATOES—Irish potatoes, $1.00 per bu. Sweet potatoes, yams, 90; good demand.
PEAS—White, $2.50 per bushel; good demand.
BEEF—Native dressed, 8@9c.; good demand.
PORK—Small, 10@12c.; large, no sale.
WOOL—Burry 12 to 15c. per lb.; free, 20c. per lb.
HIDES—Green salt, 12½c.; dry flints, 14@16c. per lb.
NORTH CAROLINA BACON—New hams, 18c.; new sides and shoulders, 14c. per lb.
BEESWAX—Firm, 28c. per lb.
TALLOW—Firm, 4½@5c. per lb.
POULTRY — Chickens, good demand. Grown, 50c.; Spring chickens, 20@35c. per head; good demand.
EGGS—20c. per dozen; may go higher.
TURKEYS—Live, on foot, 18c per lb.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, July 2.—Sugar, raw, steady; molasses sugar, 2.67; centrifugal, 3.32; refined, steady.

Butter—Steady.

Cheese—Firm.

Coffee—Spot, quiet. Rio, No. 7, 8¾; Santos, No. 4, 12¼; mild, dull; Cordova, 12½@16; nominal.

Cotton Seed Oil—A trifle lower, due to lack of outside demand and the weakness in cotton. Refiners continue to sell forward months and take nearby deliveries. Local trade is marking time, pending new developments. Final prices were 1 to 3 points net lower. Sales, 5,800 barrels.

The market closed steady. Spot, 7.18@7.20; July, 7.20@7.22; August-September, 7.43; September, 7.53; October, 7.31@7.32; November, 6.97@298; December, 6.85@6.88; January, 6.86@6.87; February, 6.87@6.93. Total sales, 5,600.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, July 2.—Mercantile paper, 3½@4¼. Sterling exchange, firm. Sixty days, 4.8375; demand, 4.8700. Commercial bills, 4.85¼. Bar silver, 58¾. Mexican dollars, 44. Government bonds, firm; railroad bonds, irregular.

Call money, firm, at 2@2½; ruling rate 2; closing, 2@2½. Time loans, steady; sixty days, 2¼; ninety days, 2¼@3; six months, 3½@4.

Keeping Warm.

The world is full of vice and temptation and pitfalls, as the pessimists say, but somehow or other none of these things really bother the man who has made up his mind to be decent and succeed.—Detroit Free Press.

Rakish.

Many persons who rake through another's character with a fine tooth comb to discover a fault could find one with considerable less trouble by going over their own character with a horse rake.—New Orleans Picayune.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

July 3, 1914.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M., yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 80 degrees; at 8 P. M., 74 degrees; maximum, 89 degrees; minimum, 72 degrees; mean, 80 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .22; rainfall for the month to date, .22 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., yesterday, 2.7 feet.

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina—Fair and somewhat warmer Friday; Saturday, fair.

Raleigh	. .	raining	84	68 | 2.68

The Port Calendar, July 3, 1914.

Sun rises	5:05 A. M.
Sun sets	7:27 P. M.
Day's length	14 hrs. 22 min.

THE TIDES

	High Water A.M.	High Water P.M.	Low Water A.M.	Low Water P.M.
Wilmington	5:48	6:33	12:38	1:02
Southport	3:51	4:14	9:51	10:53
Masonboro Inlet	3:20	4:03	9:31	10:33

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.
July 2, 1914.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest today.	Temperature: Lowest last night.	Precipitation 8 P. M.
Abilene	cloudy	90	74	.0
Asheville	pt cldy	76	64	.54
Atlanta	cloudy	92	74	.08
Augusta	cloudy	96	74	.0
Birmingham	clear	94	74	.58
Boston	cloudy	80	54	1.10
Charleston	cloudy	94	76	.19
Charlotte	pt cldy	82	70	.28
Chicago	clear	72	64	.0
Galveston	clear	88	80	.0
Jacksonville	pt cldy	98	76	.0
Memphis	pt cldy	92	70	.30
Mobile	cloudy	92	78	.0
Montgomery	cloudy	96	74	.0
New Orleans	cloudy	90	78	1.28
New York	pt cldy	80	60	1.56
Oklahoma	cloudy	86	66	.20
Palestine	clear	94	74	.0
Pittsburgh	clear	78	62	.0
Raleigh	raining	84	68	2.68
Savannah	cloudy	94	76	.0
Shreveport	cloudy	98	78	.18
St. Louis	clear	86	68	.0
Washington	clear	84	66	.06

Deep Eater.

Senator Frawley said in Albany of a corruptionist:

"He went in too deep. He was like the boy.

"Motoring one summer day in the country, I saw a boy who was going through a strange performance. He hopped up and down on his left foot, while he held to his right ear a large stone on which he tapped—tap, tap, tap—with a smaller one.

"'My boy,' I said, 'what on earth is the matter?'

"'Water in my ear,' the boy replied, as he continued his hopping and tapping.

"My own boyhood came back to me. I remembered doing just such things myself.

"'Aha!' I said. 'I remember now. I, too, my boy, have hopped and tapped like that when I've been swimming and got water in my ear.'

"'I ain't been swimmin',' said the boy.

"'But how on earth, then—' I began.

"'Been eatin' watermelon,' he interrupted calmly."

Danish Court Likes Tango.

The court marshal of King Christian of Denmark telegraphed to the Thalia theater the other day for tango music, as the dance was to be introduced immediately at the Copenhagen court.

A reply was sent that no tango music has been published yet, and that the only way it could be obtained was to pay a high price for a manuscript copy.

Promptly came back the order:

"Money no object; state price. Mail immediately."

The manager of the Thalia theater sent manuscript music and charged $400 for it.

Could See Some Good.

"A clergyman," says DeWolf Hopper, "visited a tippler in his flock and cautioned him against drinking too much. The man answered that the doctor had prescribed liquor for him. 'Well,' inquired the minister, 'has it done you any good?' 'I fancy it has,' answered the bibber, 'for when I got that keg a week ago I could hardly lift it, and now I can carry it all about the room.'"

FORECLOSURE SALE.

By virtue and in pursuance of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of mortgage made by A. O. Schuster and wife to J. W. Powell, Jr., and by said J. W. Powell, Jr., transferred and assigned to the Southern National Bank, the undersigned will, on Thursday, July the 30th, 1914, at twelve o'clock M., at the Court House door in the County of New Hanover, sell, at public auction, for cash, the following described property, situate in the city of Wilmington, to satisfy the debt secured by said mortgage:

First—A lot beginning at Southwest intersection of Market and Eleventh streets; runs West with Southern line of Market street 66 feet; thence South, parallel with Eleventh street 150 feet to Meadow street; thence East with Northern line of Meadow street 66 feet to Eleventh street; thence North with Western line of Eleventh street 150 feet to the beginning, being part of Lots 1, 2 and 3, Block 161.

Second—A lot beginning in the Southern line of Market street 33 feet East of Eastern line of Tenth street; runs Eastwardly with Southern line of Market street 33 feet; thence South parallel with Tenth street 150 feet to Meadow street; thence West with the Northern line of Meadow street 38 feet; thence North 150 feet to the beginning, being part of Lots 1, 2 and 3, Block 161.

SOUTHERN NATIONAL BANK.
By John D. Bellamy & Son, Attorneys.
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FORECLOSURE SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage made by the Wilmington Ice and Storage Company to the undersigned, he will sell, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the Court House door in the City of Wilmington, N. C., on Monday, the 27th of July, 1914, at twelve o'clock, M., to satisfy the debt secured by said mortgage, all that lot of land, together with the buildings and property situated thereon.

Beginning at point in southern line of Dock street, at the corner of the lot of the Seamen's Friend Society, 91 feet west from Western line of Front street; runs westwardly with southern line of Dock street 30 feet and 9 inches; thence southwardly parallel with Front street 61 feet to northern line of Potts Alley; thence with said line of said alley eastwardly 30 feet and 9 inches to the line of the building of the Seamen's Friend Society; thence with said line north 61 feet to the beginning, being part of Lot 1, Block 168.

SAMUEL BLOSSOM,
Mortgagee.
By John D. Bellamy & Son, Attorneys.

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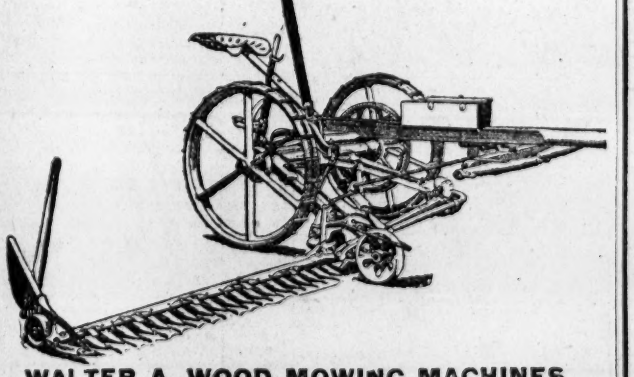

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as Executor and Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Rachel Ann Gore, deceased, all persons indebted to said Estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment of same, and all persons having claims against said Estate are hereby notified to file same duly sworn to, as required by Law, with the undersigned, and if any claim is not presented within one year of this date, this notice will be plead in bar of any recovery being had thereon.

This 6th day of June, A. D., 1914.

M. J. CORBETT,
JULIA GORE,
Executor and Executrix of Rachel Ann Gore, deceased.

SENSATION EXPECTED WHEN TRIAL OF MME. CAILLAUX FOR MURDER STARTS

Paris, July 1.—The stage is being set for the trial of Mme. Caillaux, wife of the former minister of finance, for the slaying of Gaston Calmette, editor of Figaro. It is probable that the hearing will begin July 20, although it may start earlier. This trial is likely to prove very sensational. As will be remembered, Mme. Caillaux shot Calmette in his office because of his political attacks upon her husband, in which her own name was used.

STATE CONVENTION OF FARMERS IN NOVEMBER

Most Probably at Rocky Mount or Greenville.

Council of Farmers Union in Session in Raleigh Declares Organization Not in Politics But for Progressive Laws.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 2.—With Greenville, Rocky Mount and Durham offering very special inducements, it was impossible for the council of the North Carolina Farmers' Union to definitely settle tonight the place of the annual convention. The matter will be settled within a few days. The dates, November 18-20, were chosen as the time for the convention, and it can be stated authoritatively that the contest for the place lies most probably between Rocky Mount and Greenville.

Eschews Politics.

The council adopted resolutions setting out that the Union eschews politices as an organization, but urges members to strive within their respective parties for those progressive measures best calculated to advance the interests of the farmers of the State.

Legislative Program.

It was decided that the executive council will at its October meeting outline a program of effort for the procurement of such legislation and reform as it deems desirable and necessary, their action at this time, President Alexander stating, to of course, have some bearing on the attitude of the members of the Union in the impending campaign in this State. However, the officers of the Union want it understood that the Union is not in politics, but will in a non-partisan way take action as to economic measures of special interest to the organization.

LONE DEPUTY SHERIFF ROUTS TRAIN ROBBERS

Kills One and Wounds Another In Chair Car

Oregon-Washington Train Scene of Desperate Fight Between Officer and Three Men—Dead Man A Bad Character

Pendleton, Ore., July 2.—George MacDaffey, a deputy sheriff of Heppner, Ore., fought a single-handed battle with train robbers in the aisle of a chair car 50 miles east of here today, killing one and wounding another. He narrowly missed death himself when his pocket comb, in the upper left hand vest pocket, turned a bullet amed at his heart. The car was on the Oregon-Washington railroad.

The dead man was identified by an inscription in his watch as Hugh Whitney, a desperado, known for depredations in Montana, Idaho, and Wyoming. His wounded companion and a third robber were trailed by posses. They got about $200 from the express car of the train, one diamond ring valued at $700 and a few dollars from passengers.

The robbers boarded the train when it slowed down to drop a helper engine. They herded the crew into the express car and, finding no great reward in the safe, decided to rob the passengers. A request that women be left undisturbed was agreed to and one robber remained to guard the crew. The others after robbing several passengers encountered MacDuffy.

ARCHITECTS IN SESSION AT HENDERSONVILLE NOW.

Annual Convention of State Association Enjoying the Mountains.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Asheville, N. C., July 2.—With a good percentage of its members present, the North Carolina Association of Architects is holding its annual meeting at Hendersonville. Various matters of interest to the members of the profession were discussed at the meetings of today. Social events for the visitors to Hendersonville include a Dutch luncheon.

One of the interesting features of the meeting was the exhibit of architectural drawings which is pronounced to be one of the most attractive ever shown in this State.

TOMORROW THE FOURTH

Holiday Will be Generally Observed in Wilmington

Tomorrow is the Glorious Fourth and will be generally observed by the citizens of Wilmington. All of the public offices includeing the postoffice will be closed. The Banks will also observe the day and most of the business houses will be closed a part or all of the day.

It will be a day of general recreation and the majority of the people of the city will spend the day at one of the nearby beach resorts. Coming as it does at the week-end there will be a number who will leave the city for a short visit to other cities or places of interest.

Old Point Comfort, Va., July 2.—Papers on subjects of interest to members were read before the Virginia Dental Association convention here today. The sessions tonight were devoted to business matters. Officers will be elected tomorrow.

4TH JULY CANVAS OXFORDS And Pumps at Peterson & Rulfs. —Advertisement. 2t.

THE BARCAROLLE WALTZ by Miss Chandler and Mr. West at Lumina tonight.—Advertisement

Safest surf bathing at Carolina Beach.—Advertisement.

TO EDUCATE NEWSPAPER MEN IN CHRISTIANITY

Is Plan Advanced by Baptists at Kansas City.

Dr. H. L. Winburn Declares That Spirituality is Entering Into Business More Than Ever Before—Praises Wilson.

Kansas City, Mo., July 2.—"Education of newspaper and magazine writers in the teachings of Jesus is one of the first tasks before the church people of this country," S. Eber Price, president of the Ottawa, Kas., University, declared today, at the joint convention of the Baptist Young People's Union of America, and the Baptist Young People's Union of the South.

"Our task is to seek out these men and women," said Mr. Price, "and train them in the proper way. Religion will be a determining element in their lives and they will be a tremendous influence for Christianity."

The Rev. H. L. Winburn, of Louisville, Ky., declared spirituality was entering into business more than ever before.

"Men everywhere now are called on to answer the question, 'Is it right?' instead of 'Is it profitable?' he said. "Even in governmental affairs the 'dollar diplomacy' is about to be discounted and our Christian President, for the first time in the history of National life, has raised the question, 'Is it right?' instead of 'Is it profitable?'—and this in the Panama canal imbroglio."

LATER DATE FOR PRIMARY

That to be Held in Third Congressional District May be Called for a Day in August.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Newbern, N. C., July 2.—When the State Democratic executive committee ordered a new primary to be held in the Third district for nominating a candidate for Congress, the impression got abroad that this primary would be held some time in July. However, there is every probability that such will not be the case. The two candidates, Hon. Charles R. Thomas, of this city, and Hon. Geo. E. Hood, of Goldsboro, have just concluded a campaign extending over a period of six months and both are physically and mentally fatigued and need a rest before starting out on another vigorous campaign.

In addition to this, there are hundreds of farmers in the Third district who are greatly interested in the selection of a Congressman and who desire to have a part in the primary but just at this time they are very busy and have no time to give to politics. Taking these into consideration there is every reason to believe that the executive committee of the district will select some date during the latter part of August or first part of September.

MEXICAN MATTERS NEAR SETTLEMENT

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claring a desire to discuss internal affairs with them.

Silliman to Saltillo.

Washington, July 2.—Fuliy instructed as to the Washington government's attitude toward every phase of the Mexican problem, John R. Silliman will leave tomrorow for Saltillo to represent the United States at the temporary capital of Gen. Carranza, first chief of the Constitutionalists.

It is understood Silliman goes virtually as President Wilson's personal agent to talk with the Constitutionalist leader, to lend a hand if occasion offers in healing the Carranza-Villa breach and, particularly, to further impress on the Constitutionalists the urgent necessity of early peace in Mexico through a provisional government as proposed at Niagara Falls.

Silliman, who was a class-mate of President Wilson at Princeton, is the regularly accredited vice and deputy consul at Saltillo. He returns to his post, now Gen. Carranza's headquarters under permission recently given by Gen. Huerta. A few weeks ago he was a prisoner there charged by Huerta officials with aiding their enemies and his release was granted only on condition that he leave Mexico not to return.

WILL FORFEIT RIGHT TO RESPECT OF PEOPLE

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clude such a treaty as this treaty blackmail to Colombia has forfeited the right to respect of the people of the United States."

Col. Roosevelt's reference to Mr DuBois as an "instrument" related to the draft of a treaty with Colombia prepared by Mr. DuBois which Secretary Bryan made public recently with the object of showing that the Taft administration was willing to express regret to Colombia for acts of the Roosevelt administration. It was shown later, however, that this draft never was approved by the Taft administration.

6 STICKS OF DYNAMITE CAUSED THE EXPLOSION

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to bear the bodies of the dead firemen from their homes to the cemetery.

The official family of the city attended in a body. Many handsome floral tributes from fire departments all over North Carolina and some from other places were a feature. The Association of American Fire Chiefs and the North Carolina Firemen's Association sent appropriate designs, while various organizations here and friends sent wreaths that made the two biers a heaped up mound of flowers.

President J. D. McNeill and a number of fire chiefs from cities and towns in the State attended the funeral.

Music and dancing all day on the Fourth at Carolina Beach—Advertisement.

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PARENTS ARE SHIRKING DUTY SAYS HENRY COPE

Declares Religion Should Not be Taught in Schools.

Secretary of Religious Educational Association Addresses Annual Meeting of American Rabbis at Detroit Yesterday.

Detroit, Mich., July 2.—Those who would have their children taught religion in school are shirking the duty they should perform themselves," declared Dr. Henry Frederick Cope, of Chicago, secretary of the Religious Educational Association, in an address before the annual meeting of the Central Conference of American Rabbis, here, today. He urged against the teaching of the Bible in public schools.

"We should all stand unalterably opposed to the attempts that are being made to establish the Teading of the Bible in public schools," said Dr. Cope. "The outcome of the new interpretation of scriptural training to which we are looking forward will be the application of religion to the social problems of every day life."

Dr. Cope also attacked modern religious revivalism. "Revivalism of the modern type with its profanity and indecency is the death struggle of an old-time fallacy of religion," he said.

After the speaker had left the hall, Rabbi Stephen S. Wise, of New York, criticised the Religious Educational Association, an organizaton non-creedal in its scope, of which Bishop Charles D. Williams, of this city, is president.

RATTLE SNAKE FOR SALE

Live Reptile on Exhibition at B. C. Moore's Drug Store

Anyone desiring a really live rattle snake for a pet can have their wishes satisfied by calling at Mr. B. C. Moore's drug store, No. 718 North Fourth street. This repitile is five feet long, has 13 rattles and one button. It was caught near Woodside along with two others of practically the same size by Mr. W. C. Donaldson, of Lumberton. He shipped the others to parties in the North but says he prefers to sell this particular one here, because it is the largest and best of the lot. The snake will be kept at the drug store until tomorrow afternoon.

Mr. Donaldson is in the city and he seems to delight in making the shivers run down the backs of the spectators as he handles the snake and shows how harmless it is. Catching snakes is one of his diversions and he derives a great deal of fun from his sport.

And would you believe it, he is a native of Ireland, the land noted for its lack of snakes. Maybe that is why he likes them so well.

MUREER MYSTERY STILL UNSOLVED

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the house by Mrs. Carman. Dr. Carman was eating dinner and Miss Combs said she was told to wait.

"While I was there," Miss Combs is said to have told the detectives, "a woman whom I know was Mrs. Bailey, arrived. She did not knock or announce herself. She walked right in, and a few moments later went into the doctor's office. While she was there Mrs. Carman passed through the room and went into the kitchen at the rear of the house. Later she went out on the porch, and while she was there I heard her tell one of the children not to play the piano as the doctor had a patient in the office. That was about ten minutes before I heard a shot."

MR. GAVIN DORTCH NOT RALLYING AS HE SHOULD.

Bond of R. L. Harper Increased from $50 to $500.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 2.—The bond required of R. L. Harper, who cut Gavin H. Dortch, a prominent real estate man, on the throat with a knife, barely missing his jugular vein, has been increased from $50 to $500 by Police Justice W. C. Harris, on the representation of the physician attending Mr. Dortch that the injured man is not rallying and responding to treatment as well as he should.

The cases against both men were to have been heard in police court this morning, but the condition of Mr. Dortch necessitated postponement. However, it was not until this afternoon that the attending physician reported unfavorable the condition that made it seem necessary to exact a larger bond of Mr. Harper.

CLERK-CARRIER EXAMINATION

Notice of Change in Date—No Applications Considered This Year

The secretary of the Fourth Civil Service District has sent out the following notice relative to examinations for clerk-carriers at the Wilmington postoffice:

Hereafter the annual clerk-carrier examination will be held at Wilmington, in the first week of September, instead of the first week of November, as heretofore. No examination will be held in the fall of 1914, the next examination being held in the first week of September, 1915, and applications will not be available for distribution prior to Jiuy 1, 1915.

In case the needs of the service make it necessary to hold a specially-announced examination before September, 1915, due publicity will be given as to the date of the examination.

FOR QUARANTINE WHARF AT WILMINGTON $25,000.

Appropriations Placed in Sundry Civil Bill by Senator Overman.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, D. C., July 2.—Senator Overman, ranking member of the Appropriation committee, today placed the following appropriations in the Sundry Civil bill:

For a quarantine wharf at Wilmington, $25,000.

Repairs of fish hatcheries at Morehead City and Edenton, $5,000 and $3,500, respectively.

For re-building and repairing life saving stations on the North Carolina coast $20,000.

Washington, July 2.—Speaker Clark was notified today that he had been made a doctor of laws by Bethany College, the West Virginia school from which he graduated in 1873, at the head of his class.

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WANTED—A good, reliable white or colored person to look after hogs and chickens about three miles below the city. See A. L. Miney, at J. W. Brook's Store; 'Phone 478. jy3,5-2t*

WANTED—Four intelligent young white men of good character, able to give bond, and who understand horses, to handle delivery wagons. Address "XXX," care Star. jy3,5-2t*

FOR RENT—Desirable sleeping room, bath, etc. Grand Theatre Building. D. R. Foster & Co., agents. jy3-1t

FOR SALE—One attractive lot, 49x150 feet, on South Fourth street, "Greenfield Terrace." Will sell at a bargain. Small amount of cash needed. Address Owner B. care Star. jy3-1t*

FOR SALE—House and lot at Summer Rest, on Wrightsville Sound. Has all modern conveniences. Water, sewerage, etc. Can be purchased at a low price. R. R. Stone, 5 and 7 Water street. jy3-1f

IF YOU WISH to save money on every purchase of aluminum ware patronize our authorized agent, C. L. Kuhl; 'Phone 1278-J. American Aluminum Mfg. Co. jy3-1t*

WANTED — Sawyer for band mill, at once. Bryant Lumber Co., Wilmington, N. C. jy3-4t*

COUNTRY EGGS—23 cents. Sugar, 5c.; table butter, 3 pounds, $1; corn, salmon, and tomatoes, 3 cans, 25c.; seeded prunes, 12 1-2c.; limes, 15c.; large, fancy peaches, 10c. quart. 'Phone 1938. L. T. New. jy3-1t

CHICKENS—Chickens, Chickens. From 25c. up, and a fine frying size, three for one dollar. 'Phone 1938. L. T. New. jy3-1t

NOTICE—Prices for Saturday, July 4th. You can purchase all 10c. canned goods at 9c. can. Lemons, 20c. dozen; eggs, 25c. dozen; Caraja and Autocrat coffee, 27c lb.; Arbuckle's coffee, 22c. lb.; three bottles Shiver ginger ale, 25c. Best butter, three pounds, $1; compound lard, 10c.; granulated sugar, 5c. lb. Baggett Bros., 'Phone 173. jy3-2t

FRESH LOT of country eggs, just received. Every one guaranteed; 30 cents per dozen; extra choice lot of spring chickens, all kinds of choice fresh meats, fruits, vegetables and fancy groceries. 'Phone us your orders for July 4th, 5th or 6th. Ice cold melons, cantaloupes. Palace Market, 108 South Front street; 'Phone 72. jy3-1f

ROOM — Wrightsville Beach, furnished, wanted. Prefer nice private family or first class boarding house. Good references. Address, price, "Young man," Box 269, City. jy3-2t*

FOR RENT—Furnished room, with all conveniences, in private family; 120 Red Cross street. jy3-1t*

NOTICE—We will be open on Saturday, July 4th, all day, and will be glad to supply everybody with their luncheons, etc. May Bros., 130 Market; 'Phone 1322. jy2-3t

FOR RENT—Convenient office on second floor of Grand Theatre building. D. R. Foster & Co. jy2-1t

WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH — Station 6. Temple Cottage. Best of service for transient or regular guests, families and house parties. Rates most reasonable. 'Phone 7580, or write M. T. Edgerton, Prop. jy2,3,5-3t

MIDSUMMER SPECIALS—For the next ten days: Gents' Palm Beach and linen suits cleaned, 50 cents. Gents' wool suits cleaned, $1. Gents' mohair suits cleaned, $1; Gents' white or cream trousers cleaned 50 cents. Ladies' suits cleaned, $1; Wilmington Dry Cleaning Co., 10 North Third. Phone 400. jy 1-5t*

FOUND—Among my hogs on Orton Hotel Farm, Castle Hayne road, two razor back boar pigs about seven months old. Owner will please call for them, pay for this advertisement and one dollar expense. Ralph Windly, manager. jy 1-3t

WESTLEY YARBOROUGH, one of Wilmington's oldest barbers, and A. Williams who has worked at the trade for several years, have formed a partnership and opened the Wilmington Tonsorial Parlors at 28 North Front street. With a sanitary shop and polite workmen, we are at the public's service. jy2-7t

JULY 4th—We will be open Saturday, July 4th, until midnight, as usual, with first-class groceries at cash prices. 'Phone 672. Cape Fear Cash Grocery, 109 South Front. jy2-3t

WANTED—By experienced young man, position as book-keeper. Best of references. Address "Book-keeper," P. O. Box 747. jy2-2t*

NOTICE—Hair cut and shave, 25 cents; Hand massage, 15 cents; shampoo, 15 cents; electric massage, 25 cents. Where? At the Independent Barber Shop, where there are 8 white, first-class barbers. 114 Princess street. jy2-3t*

FOR SALE OR RENT—New, modern, eight-room house, Sunset Park, Washington street. Price, reasonable. Possession July 6th. For particulars, see E. L. Mathews, Front and Hanover; 'Phones 715 and 1270. jy2-2t

FOR RENT—Wrightsville Beach, Northern Extension, on car line; a new seven-room cottage. See H. E. Bonitz, or C. D. Maffitt. jy2-1f

FOR SALE—Baby carriage, cost $40; will sell reasonably. Used very little. Two Rayo lamps and one hall lamp; all practically new. Address "Baby Lamp," care Star. jy2-1t

SCREENS—Phone us your orders for screen doors and windows. We make and hang them for you. Phone 1471, 1013 South Front street. Wilmington Safe and Table Co. jy 1-7t*

BRAND NEW HOME for rent, next to southwest corner Seventh and Castle, over store. Five rooms and bath, all modern conveniences. Apply to J. B. Fales. jy 1-5t

MECHANICS' HOME Association will remain open for reception of dues Saturday, July 4th. Walker Taylor, president; W. M. Cumming, secretary. je30-5t

CROSS TIES—Cross ties. We can use for delivery from July 15th to January 1st, 200,000 standard red oak ties; 100,000 white oak; 50,000 heart pine; 50,000 standard sap pine, 7x9x8½. Inspection and cash as loaded. G. T. and W. J. Flynn jy 1-3t*

SPRAY YOUR COWS, and save your milk. Conkey's Fly Knocker keeps flies from annoying stock. Doesn't taint milk or injure stock. It's a money maker. Money back guarantee. $1 gallon; half gallon, 60c.; quart, 35c. John S. McEachern Sons. je16-tu,f-12t

NEW HONEY, in one-pound sections; price 20c. per block, or 6 for $1, for a short time. Republic asparagus tips, only 25c. can; Sunbeam jams, all kinds only 25c. jar. Thomas Grocery Co., 525 North Fourth street; 'Phone 294. my22-tf

WANTED—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Will pay good price for same. Address, "BZ" care Star.

GO TO Capps-Griffith Plumbing Co., for plumbing material. Closets complete, $9.50; 4-inch soil pipe, 12 cents; oakum, 7c; pig lead, 7c. All other goods reasonable. 'Phone 1132. my27-tf

BILLING, COPYING and circular work, small orders appreciated. None too large, none too small. The Wilmington Public Typewriting Co., 108 Princess Building. my31-tf

NOTICE—J. E. Cowell's shaving parlor at 21 Princess street, and the Orton Hotel Barber Shop, will be open on Friday night, July 3rd, until 11 o'clock, and will be closed after 1 P. M. Saturday, July 4th. jy 1-3t*

PORTABLE HOUSES at the Beach for rent. Two-room, three-room and five-room sizes. Rented by the month or by the season. For particulars apply to the Tidewater Power Co. jy 1-3t

WILL REMAIN OPEN—Saturday, July 4th, and will open a new series B. & L. stock. Mechanics' Home Association, W. M. Cumming, Secretary and Treasurer. je30-5t

FOR SALE—Printer's imposing stone, several type cases and other printing material displaced by new equipment. Address Morning Star, Wilmington, N. C. je30-3t

FOR RENT—A large, delightfully cool room, southwest exposure, with modern conveniences. Gentlemen preferred. 216 North Second, between Grace and Chestnut. Phone 773. je 24-tf

WE CAN SUPPLY YOU with a stenographer, book-keeper or clerk. Let us know your requirements. Only qualified help sent out. Address Wilmington Public Typewriting Co., 108 Princess Bldg. my31-tf

FOR RENT—Building and basement annex formerly occupied by Morning Star office. Twenty-two feet front by 60 feet depth; three floors. Possession given at once. Apply to J. H. Hinton, or at Morning Star office, 109 Chestnut st. ap8-tf

VACATION TIME is coming. Why not see Uncle Charles for a good trunk or leather suit case? 'Phone 642, or call at No. 6 South Front street. my19-tf

OLD PAPERS—A limited number of old newspapers suitable for wrapping or placing under carpets or matting, for sale at five cents per hundred. Apply at Star office. my22-tf

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